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54th General Assembly Schedule



















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Pre-General Assembly Events and Deadlines		
Thursday, Nov. 2nd 11:59 p.m.	Universal Deadline <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deadline for filing legislation. • Deadline for AMC3 briefs. • Final deadline for colleges to register for the General Assembly. The House of Representatives is apportioned according to registrations received by this date. • Delegates should register by this date. • Deadline for hotel reservations at TISL's special rate. 	KEY TO SCHEDULE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Joint Session ■ Legislative Session ■ Committees ■ Elections ■ AMC3
















Thursday, November 16th, 2023			
Central Time Zone			
9:30 a.m.	TISL and AMC3 Registration & Check-In , State Capitol, Second Floor Delegates can't check into the hotel until afternoon and should arrive dressed and ready for the Opening Session. You may drop off luggage in the morning at the hotel in Cumberland Ballroom A & B for storage until check-in.		
10 a.m.		10 a.m.	■ AMC3 Organizational Meeting (no competitors) Cordell Hull Building
Noon	General Assembly convenes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Joint Session, House Chamber, State Capitol Lt. Gov. Braxton Westbrook, Tennessee Tech University, presiding <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oath of Office • Connie Ridley, Director of Legislative Administration • State of the Judiciary: Chief Justice Chance Hale, Tennessee Tech University • State of TISL: Governor Paige Foster, University of Memphis • President's Address: Dr. Candice McQueen, Lipscomb University 		
1 p.m.	■ Training & Orientation for Committee Officers (Chairmen, Vice Chairmen and Secretaries), Senate Chamber Legislative Orientation , House Chamber Lobbying Orientation – Senate Chamber Media Orientation – Press Room Clerk Orientation – SOS Office	1 p.m.	■ AMC3 Orientation , Cordell Hull Building

2 p.m - 3:30 p.m.	 Committee meetings , Cordell Hull Building - Floor 8	2 p.m.	 AMC3 Preliminary Round 1 , Cordell Hull Building
3:45 p.m. 4:45 p.m.	 First Legislative Session , Respective Chambers	3:30 p.m.	 AMC3 Preliminary Round 2 , Cordell Hull Building
4:45 p.m.	Hotel check-in at DoubleTree Hotel Reservations Desk		
6:30 p.m. – 8 p.m.	 Tri-Star Social* Presented by Middle Tennessee State University Reception/Social Hour in honor of Delegates to the General Assembly Ballroom, DoubleTree Nashville Hotel - Hors d'Oeuvres will be served Attire: Business Professional		
* Included in Fee			




Friday, November 17th, 2023

9 a.m.	Applications for Attorney General Due to the Supreme Court		
9 a.m. – 10 a.m.	Advisors' Breakfast , Brentwood-Franklin Room, DoubleTree Hotel		
9 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	 Second Legislative Session , Respective Chambers  Committee meetings , Cordell Hull Building - Floor 8	9 a.m.	 AMC3 Preliminary Round 3 Cordell Hull Building
	 Committee meetings Continues	10:30 a.m.	 AMC3 Preliminary Round 4 Cordell Hull Building
Noon	Delegation Lunch	12:15 p.m.	 AMC3 Participant Luncheon Guest Speaker: Dean Randy Matthews
1:30 p.m.	 Featured Speakers: Tre Hargett, Tennessee Secretary of State Jonathan Skrmetti, Tennessee Attorney General		
2:15 p.m.	 Third Legislative Session , Respective Chambers	2:15 p.m.	 AMC3 Preliminary Round 5 , Cordell Hull Building
4:00 p.m.	 Third Legislative Session Continues	4:00 p.m.	 AMC3 Preliminary Round 6 , Cordell Hull Building
6 p.m.	Pizza Supper*, Cordell Hull Building - Floor 8, Presented by Tre Hargett, Tennessee Secretary of State.		
7 p.m.	 Fourth Legislative Session , Respective Chambers  List of designated voters due to Election Commission from Delegation Chair	7 p.m.	Supreme Court interviews candidates for Attorney General Brentwood-Franklin Room at DoubleTree Hotel
8 p.m. 8:15 p.m.	 Senate receives nominations for Speaker and Speaker Pro Tem  House of Representatives receives nominations for Speaker and Speaker Pro Tem		
8:30 p.m. 9 p.m.	  Joint Session , House Chamber Receives nominations for Governor, Secretary of State and State Treasurer Adjourn <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Candidates for the Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation will be recognized 		
Immediately After Adjournment	 Candidates Meeting , Senate Chamber Conducted by Election Commission. Nominated candidates for all offices must attend; open to everyone.		
* Included in Fee			

Saturday, November 18th, 2023

8:00 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	Meet the Candidates Coffee, Brentwood-Franklin Room, DoubleTree Hotel		
9 a.m.	 Fifth Legislative Session , Respective Chambers Nominated candidates for Speaker and Speaker Pro Tem will preside briefly in their respective houses.	9 a.m.	 AMC3 Semifinal Round 1 Old Supreme Court Chamber, Capitol
10:45 a.m.	 Joint Session , House Chamber Nominated candidates for Secretary of State and State Treasurer speak after being introduced by a supporter  Fifth Legislative Session Continues	10:30 a.m.	 AMC3 Semifinal Round 2 Old Supreme Court Chamber, Capitol
11:45 a.m.	Lunch sponsored by Lipscomb University College of Leadership and Public Service Legislative Lounge		
1:00 p.m.	 Joint Session , House Chamber Nominated candidates for governor speak after being introduced by a supporter. Question-and-answer session for nominated gubernatorial candidates follows.		
1:30 p.m.	 Sixth Legislative Session , Respective Chambers Nominated candidates for Speaker and Speaker Pro Tem of each house speak after being introduced by a supporter		
2:45 p.m. 3:30 p.m.	 Polls Open Second Floor, Capitol  Polls Close		
3:30 p.m.	 Sixth Legislative Session Continues	3:15 p.m.	 AMC3 Semifinal Round 3 Old Supreme Court Chamber, Capitol
4:30 p.m.	 Polls Open Runoff Election		
5 p.m.	 Polls Close Runoff Election  Sixth Legislative Session Continues	5 p.m.	 AMC3 Semifinal Round 4 Old Supreme Court Chambers- TN Cap
6:30 p.m.	Adjourn		

Sunday, November 19th, 2023

	Check out of the hotel before the session. You may drop off your luggage in the morning in Cumberland Ballroom A & B for storage.		
9 a.m.	 Seventh Legislative Session , Respective Chambers	10 a.m.	 AMC3 Final Round Tennessee Intercollegiate Supreme Court presiding, Tennessee Supreme Court Building
12:30 p.m.	Adjourn		
12:30 p.m.	 Joint Session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Recognition of award winners. ● Tennessee Intercollegiate Supreme Court delivers opinions re: AMC3 case ● Installation of new officers. 		

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Inauguration remarks by incoming Governor.• Adjourn Sine Die <p>Brief meeting of newly inaugurated and immediate past Executive Council, Old Supreme Court Chamber</p>
1:45	Out of Capitol
* Included in Fee	