

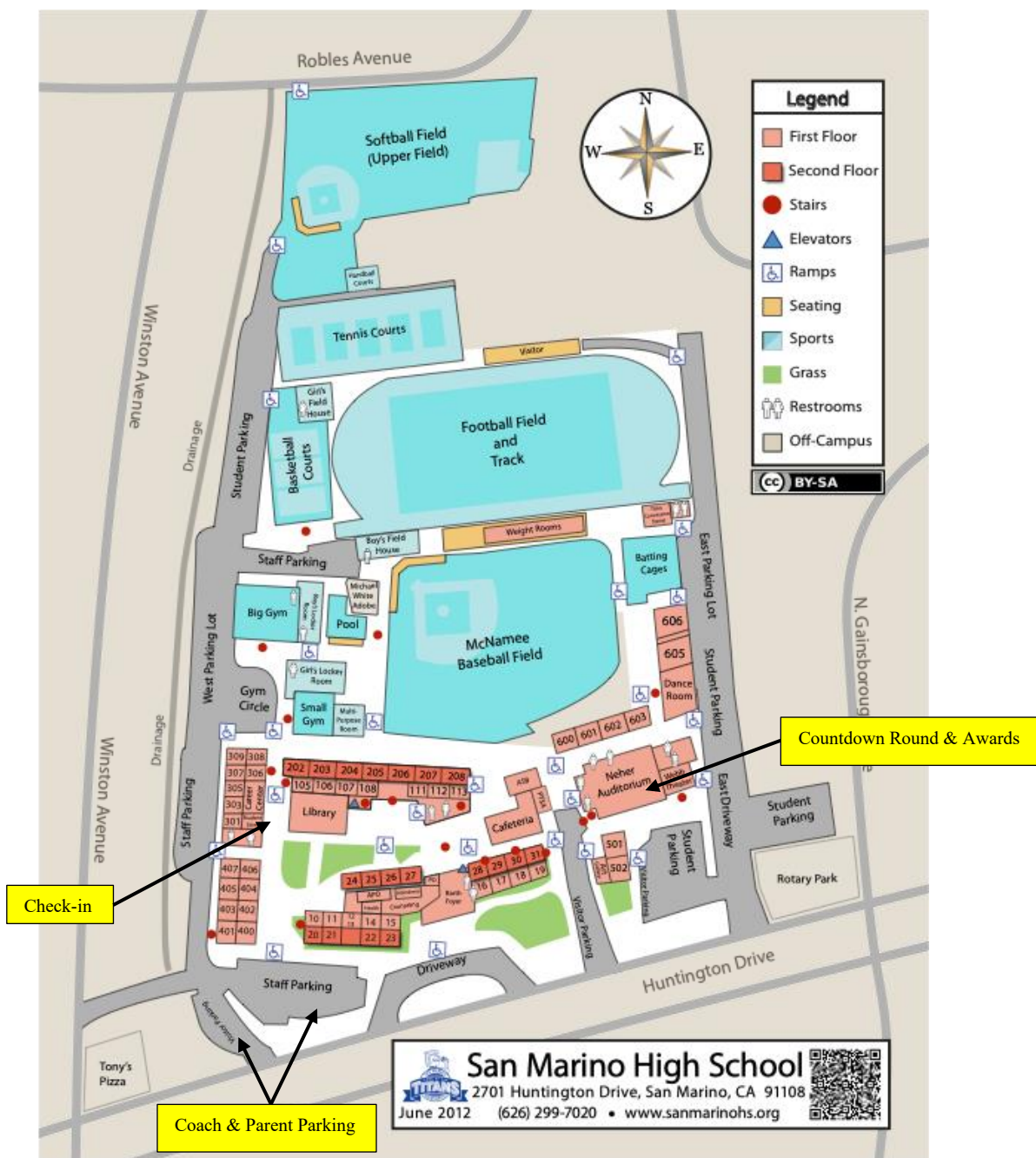
Date: Saturday, February 28, 2026

Time: 9:00AM – 4:00PM

Location: San Marino High School, 2701 Huntington Drive, San Marino, 91108

Directions and Parking

See map below. Please park in the parking lots adjacent to Huntington Drive.



What Coaches Need To Do Prior to Competition – no later than Friday, February 20

- ☐ Enter student names in your MATHCOUNTS on line dashboard ([Here is how](#))
- ☐ Upload media releases signed by each student's parent/guardian (see instructions in separate e-mail).

What Coaches Need To Do on the Day of the Competition

- ☐ Arrive promptly by 9:00AM to check-in (see check-in instructions below).
- ☐ Ensure students have appropriate calculators and pencils and have used the restroom prior to entering the test room.
- ☐ When the testing room is open, help your students find their assigned table and then leave the room promptly. Only students and MATHCOUNTS volunteers are allowed in the test room during the competition. *If any of your students did not submit a media release form, please wait with them outside the auditorium until after group photos are taken.*
- ☐ Pick up your results packet (which includes certificates) at the end of the Awards Ceremony. If you will not be able to stay, please let the check-in volunteers know so that you can pick up your certificates during the break or lunch. Results will be e-mailed to you the next day.
- ☐ Coaches and adult chaperones may remain on campus throughout the day (the library or faculty lounge will be open for coaches and adult chaperones).

Checking In

See map and follow the signs to check-in location. Coaches will make any needed changes to their student lists. Student names may be added or removed (up to the total registered number) and students may be moved from or to the team. *No same day increase in the number of registered students.* If you want to increase the number of registered students, this must be done through your on-line coach dashboard two days before the competition. Coaches will also write name tags for themselves and all students. Name tags are to be visible at all times. Coaches will receive their table assignments at check-in.

Parents and Spectators

Parents and spectators are welcome to observe the afternoon events (in Neher Auditorium). Parents and spectators are also welcome to arrive during the lunch break and order food from Chanos and observe the Titanium Robotics demonstration. We do not need to collect parent/spectator information this year as we have done in the past.

Schedule

EVENT	START	END
School arrival and check-in (follow signs to check-in)	9:00 AM	9:30 AM
Sprint & Target Rounds (Small Gym)	9:30 AM	11:15 AM
Break	11:15 AM	11:30 AM
Team Round (Small Gym)	11:30 AM	12:15 PM
Lunch Break Chanos Restaurant (taco truck) – food for purchase SMHS Titanium Robotics Demonstration	12:15 PM	1:45 PM
San Marino High School Titanium Robotics Presentation (Neher Auditorium)	1:45 PM	2:00 PM
Countdown Round (Neher Auditorium)	2:00 PM	3:30 PM
Awards Presentation (Neher Auditorium)	3:30 PM	4:00 PM

Testing Format

All students are to be in the Small Gym at 9:30AM. Please note there is no break between the Sprint and Target Rounds. After the break, all students are welcome to take the Team Round test but only the official team from each school will have their tests graded. After lunch, the Countdown Round will include the top 16 students based on the Sprint and Target round scores and will be announced at the start of the Countdown Round. The Countdown Round is a fun, unofficial part of the competition and will not be used to determine awards or advancement to the state competition.

Student Supplies

Students are expected to provide their own pencils, erasers, and calculators. Scratch paper will be provided at the event.

Food

Food will not be provided but Chanos restaurant will be on campus from 11:30AM to 1:30PM for the purchase of lunch. See [Chanos menu options and prices here](#).

Or you are welcome to bring your sack lunch and eat at any of the picnic tables on campus.

Awards

Trophies will be given to the top four teams (one trophy for each of four team members). Trophies will be given to the top six individuals (based on Sprint and Target Round scores). Ribbons will be given to the top scoring student from each school.

Advancement

The top two teams and top three individuals (not on an advancing team) will advance to the State Competition.

State Competition Date

Saturday, March 21, 2026, California Baptist University, Riverside, CA

Participating Schools

Alvarado Intermediate School
Chaparral Middle School
Clairbourn School
Flintridge Preparatory School
Foothill Country Day School
Henry E. Huntington Middle School
Katherine Edwards Middle School
McKinley School
Polytechnic School
Saint Marks Lutheran School

South Pasadena Middle School
South Pointe Middle School

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St. Philip the Apostle School
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