Labor-Management Fund Sponsors Skills USA

Ann Arbor Student Building Industry Program students tied a record, taking six competitors, for the two events they were eligible to compete in, TeamWorks (team of 4) and 2 individual carpentry competitors.

The Teamworks crew of Ryan Snuverink, Nathan Weinert, Will Jones, and Alex McMath brought home the silver medal for second place in a tough two



day competition of extemporaneous presentation, plan reading and hands-on construction.



The PMC and UA Local 190 Joint Labor-Management Fund provided funding for all the plumbing materials.

Industry Supports Skills USA Contestants

The Mechanical Industry Labor Management Fund supported the South & West Consortium Students to compete for the *Skills USA* National Title in the Welding Fabrication Competition.



The SWWC Welding Fabrication Team traveled to Washtenaw Community College to face off against other schools from across the state. While most students were off enjoying spring break, the SWWC was working hard using the blueprints for the project they received one week prior.



They worked several days after school to come up with a game plan and to hone their skills. This particular event judges the teams' ability to read blueprints, follow weld symbols, and to assemble a project within specified tolerances. Their dedication and hard work earned them back to back gold medals and a trip to Louisville, KY for the National Competition.

The Mechanical Industry Labor Management Fund continues to support the next generation of Trades.