



## 2023 Victorian Mine Rescue Competition results

The Victorian Mine Rescue Competition was held at Stawell Gold Mine, VIC SES Stawell and North Park Community Centre from 20 – 22 October 2023.

### Overall Winning Team

1<sup>st</sup>: Fosterville Gold Mine  
2<sup>nd</sup>: Mandalay Resources Costerfield Operations  
3<sup>rd</sup> : CSA Cobar

### Fire Exercise

1st: CFA Oscar 1  
2nd Central VIC Mine Rescue Group  
3rd Mandalay Resources Costerfield Operations

### Ropes Exercise

1st: CSA Cobar  
2<sup>nd</sup>: CFA Oscar 1  
3<sup>rd</sup>: Central VIC Mine Rescue Group

### Skills Exercise

1st: Mandalay Resources Costerfield Operation  
2<sup>nd</sup>: CFA Oscar 1  
3<sup>rd</sup> CSA Cobar

### Road Crash Rescue

1<sup>st</sup>: CSA Cobar  
2<sup>nd</sup>: Fosterville Gold Mine  
3<sup>rd</sup>: Ballarat Gold Mine

### Underground Search & Rescue

1st: Fosterville Gold Mine  
Equal 2<sup>nd</sup>: Ballarat Gold Mine and Mandalay Resources Costerfield Operations

### Theory

1st: Central VIC Mine Rescue Group  
2<sup>nd</sup>: Stawell  
3<sup>rd</sup>: Mandalay Resources Costerfield Operations

### Winning Team Captain

Dean Hodges, CSA Cobar

### Winning Team – Overall Safety

CFA Oscar 1

### Noel Justice Award

Simon Delander, VMRC Head Adjudicator