FIRST Robotics Livonia District Event Information

<u>Updated: March 17</u> (please always check back to this page for ongoing/current information)

Special Announcement – ALL TEAMS:

The Livonia Chamber of Commerce will conduct a special luncheon on Friday, April 1, and they want ALL TEAMS' <u>sponsors</u> to attend. The lunch is free to your sponsor(s), so please try to recruit at least one sponsor representative per team, multiple ones if your team has several sponsors. The idea is for Livonia Chamber members to meet and network with other business people. This will be the equivalent of a VIP event you've seen at other FIRST events.

The Livonia Chamber Luncheon will be an "open house" style event. They are inviting business people to attend from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Those who come at the beginning can watch Logo-Motion game action on the field, get tours of the pits, etc. At 12 noon the Chamber event will move into Churchill High School's LMC (Library/Media Center) for formal comments from the Livonia Mayor and other guests. Food will be served and your sponsor reps will be guests (free). After lunch those in attendance will be invited to watch more game action in the main gym.

If no sponsors can attend, maybe have one of your mentors represent them (and they can represent the company they work for too).

RSVP: no later than March 28.

Each team leader should send a note to: tomlang112@aol.com with the following info:

- Team number
- Sponsor(s) rep name and business name

The more business leaders we merge together to get excited about FIRST Robotics, the more they will support the cause. Thank you !!!

PARKING:

Churchill High classes will not be in session April 1 so parking will not be as much of a problem as other District locations. HOWEVER, the parking lot in front of the school on Newburgh Road will fill up quickly and visitors to the event might think there is no room.

<u>Please let everyone know there is a large parking lot behind the building</u>, also accessible from Newburgh Road via permanent signage (just south of the stop light in front of school).

Also, once unloading takes place for the pits Thursday night, please move team trailers out by the road (in part so people can see them for advertising) and please move all other vehicles to the back parking lot.

PIT UNLOADING:

The Pits at Churchill will be in the Fieldhouse – for which the entrance is clearly marked in big white letters visible at the front of the school. Just to the left of the Fieldhouse main entrance is door # 10. That is the door teams can pull up to for unloading their robots and equipment.