



Information for Parents

Welcome to the DesTROYer Team

Board Introductions

- Admin President - *Kaitlyn Hopkins*
 - Admin Secretary/Vice Pres. - *Joanna Hong*
 - Business Team - *Jojo Liang, Ahmed Abdalla, & Kelly Pan*
 - Community Service Officer - *Lydia Chan*
- Build President - *Guilherme Jurgensen*
 - Mech Team Captain - *Morgan Buss*
 - CAD Team Captain - *Safwaan Khan*
 - Programming Team Captain - *Cai Yeo*
 - Electrics Team Captain - *Skye Rutan-Bedard*
 - Safety Captain/Parts Manager - *Luca Lin*

Meet our Board for the 2015-16 School Year!

Important Dates

2016 FRC Kickoff: 1-9-16

- Marks the beginning of build season
- We will have after school meetings everyday from 3-6
 - The more meetings your child attends, the more likely he/she is to be put on the competition team

Stop Build Day: 2-23-16

- End of build season
 - we will still have meetings every day until competition day

FRC Competition 2016

When: 3/9/16-3/12/16

Where: Long Beach Convention and Entertainment Center

300 East Ocean Blvd

Long Beach, CA 90802

USA

-All school days missed during competition are excused by the office

A Word From Our Advisor - The Great Mr. Goodman!

What is Troy Robotics?

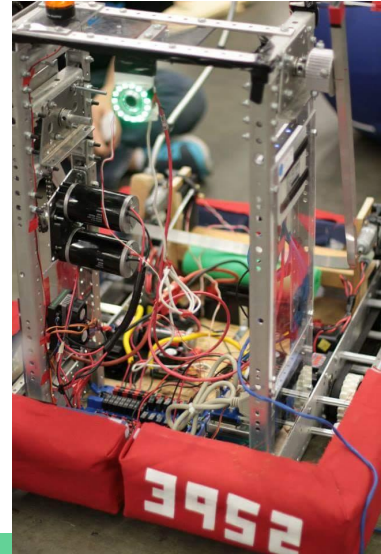
Two of our main goals are:

- To provide hands-on experience to all students interested in pursuing STEM related careers
 - Pumpkin Launch
 - FIRST Robotics Competition
 - Other Side-Projects
- Engage students interested in the management of STEM related organizations
 - Fundraising
 - Maintain Sponsor and Mentor Relationships
 - Community Service



What is FIRST Robotics Competition?

FIRST is a national robotics program that hosts competitions for all grade levels. One such faction is FRC, or FIRST Robotics Competition, a program where high school students from around the country form teams, build robots, and compete. It enforces Core Values like cooperation, ingenuity, and community outreach to help teams create well-rounded members.



Business Team

A Simplified Budget



Overall budget: \$17,500

- \$5,000 for FRC registration
- \$1,800 for travel fees
- \$700 for machine tools
- \$2,000 for community service projects
- \$2,500 for the FRC robot
- \$2,500 for other robots
- \$3,000 for miscellaneous expenditures

How Do We Collect Money?

- Established Methods

- Sponsorships
 - SoCal Gas Company
 - Kelly Pneumatics
- Grants
 - NASA
- Donations

- New Methods

- Fundraisers
 - Pending with Yogurtland
- Booster Club

What Does Sponsorship Mean?

- Building trust with a company
 - Invited to end-of-the year banquet
 - Logo Presented on our merchandise
 - Becoming a DesTROyer
- Getting access to valuable mentors
 - Mechanical Engineers
 - IT, Computer Science, or Web Development
 - CAD Experts
 - Pneumatic Engineers
- Getting access to resources
 - Professional Machining
 - Extra Materials

Sponsorship

DesTROyer	\$5000+
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Large business logo on robot• Large business logo on banner during competition• Company name incorporated into team name (i.e. Troy High School)	
Gold Member	\$2500-\$4999
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Large business logo on T--Shirts• Business logo on robot• Business logo on banner during competition• Business name on robo	
Silver Member	\$1000-2499
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Business logo on webpage• Business logo on T-Shirts• Business name on team banner during competition• Free team T--Shirt• Business name on team t-shirts	
Bronze Member	\$500--\$999
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Business name on team brochures• Business name on webpage• Free picture of the team• Invitation to end-of-the-year sponsor banquet	
	\$250-\$499
	\$100--\$249
	\$1-99

Own a company? Think your employer would be interested? Help us out!

Booster Club

- Organization of supportive parents to work in conjunction with the business team to raise funds
- Would be a 501(c)(3) under the state of California
- Would also have access to more grants than Troy Robotics alone

Interested? Sign up after the meeting!

DONATIONS

WE NEED \$5000 AS A CLUB BY NOV. 1 TO ATTEND COMPETITION. PLEASE DONATE GENEROUSLY TO HELP US ACHIEVE OUR GOAL. IF EACH FAMILY DONATED A MERE \$50 THAN WE WOULD REACH OUR GOAL. HOWEVER, DONATIONS OF ANY SIZE ARE APPRECIATED. WE'RE ASKING FOR ANYWHERE FROM \$25-\$50 PER MEMBER, BY OCT. 26. THIS MONEY GOES DIRECTLY BACK TO YOUR STUDENT.

REMEMBER THE BEST FUNDED TEAMS EARN THE MOST PRESTIGE.

**Thanks and Welcome to the
DesTROYer Family**

