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November Coaches Chat

Welcome FLL FLL Explore Teams!

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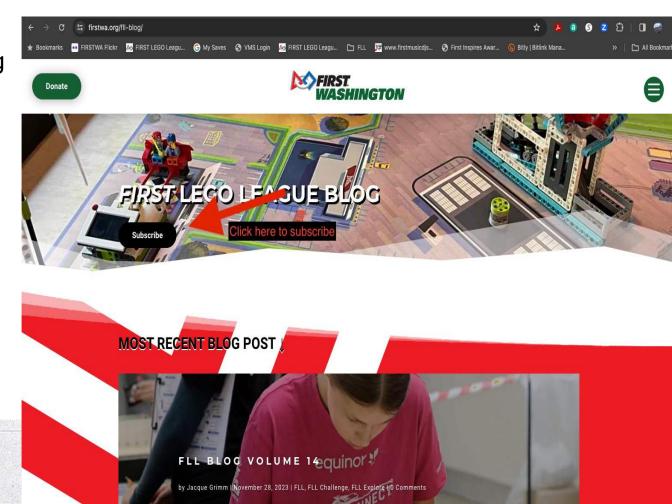




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Important Dates for FLL Explore!

<u>December-</u>

2nd/3rd/9th- Winter Festival events

December 2nd- Snohomish

Glacier Peak High School

December 3rd- Bellevue

Chinook Middle School

December 9th- Spokane

Freeman Middle School

March

Spring Festival Events

March 2nd Snohomish

Glacier Peak High School

March 16th Yakima

SunDome

April*

Registration closes

*Possible end of the season Festival depending on interest



Festival Schedule- Explore

Check in

Set up display

Opening Ceremony

Reviewing Begins

Activity

Closing Celebration and Awards

Cleanup

*Festivals can be run either in the morning or the afternoon, but are most often run in the afternoon



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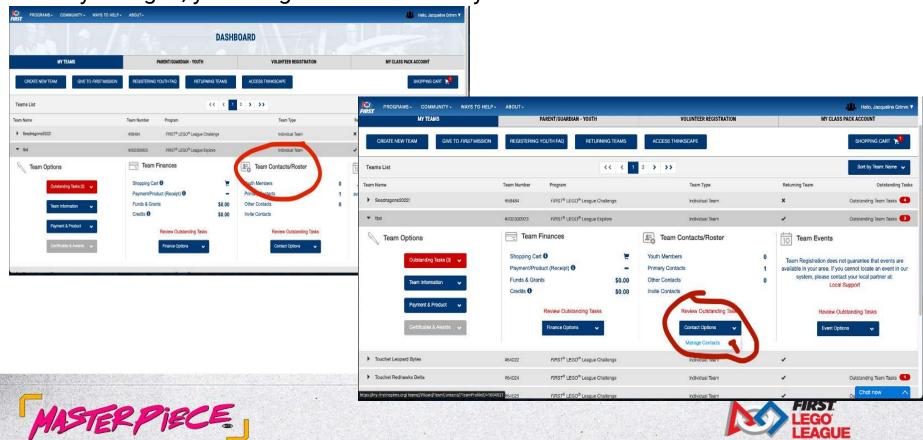
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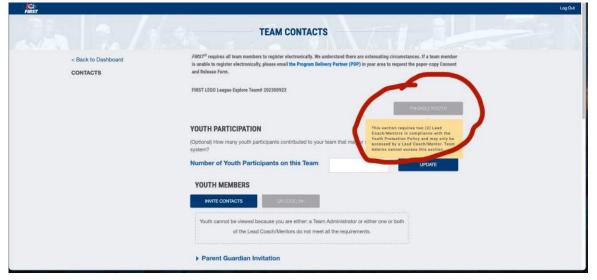
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What to bring to Your Event

- Tri-fold
- Model
- Laptop or Tablet
- Chargers
- Roster
- Snacks
- Patience, enthusiasm and lots of energy!!!

Important Links-

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Welcome FLL Challenge Teams!

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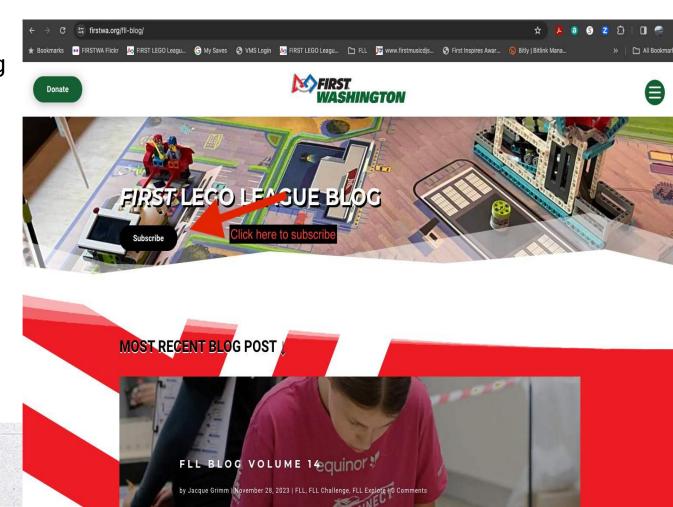




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September- December-

Event registration opens 2nd/3rd- Qualifier weekend 1

15th- OSPI Grant Opens 9th/10th-Qualifier weekend 2

29th- OSPI Grant Closes <u>January</u>

30th- FIRST Washington Grant Closes 20th/21st- Semifinals*

30th- Team registration closes <u>February</u>

October- 4th- West WA State Championships**

Mid Oct. FIRSTWA invoices go out *Western WA

31st- payment or P.O. must be received ** EAST TBD

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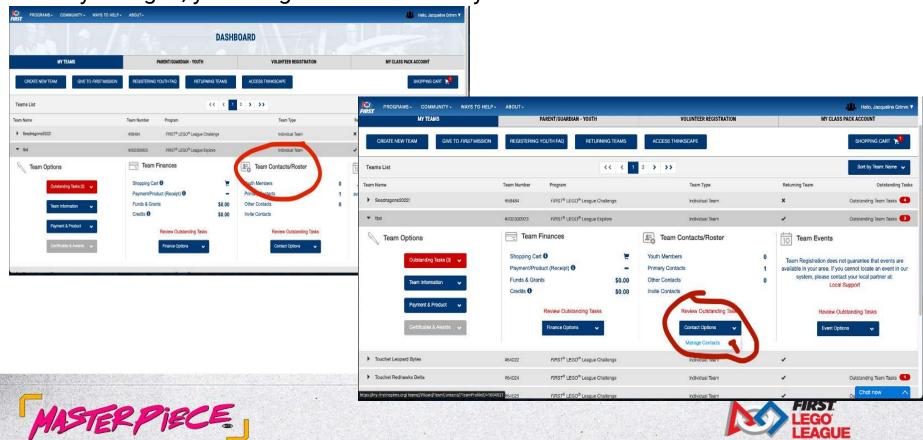
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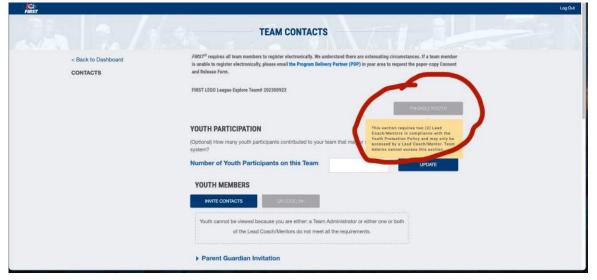
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Qualifier Event Schedule- Challenge

This is general info. You should receive an email from your event host with specific details.

- Doors will open for check in at 8
- Check in is from 8-8:30
- Coaches meeting 8:30
- Practice time 9-12
- Judging 9-12:30
- Opening Ceremonies 1:00
- Qualification matches 1:15-4:15
- Awards 4:30

What to Bring to Your Event-

Robot and attachments

•Extra robot batteries and charger (if rechargeable)

Laptop computer or tablet for program changes

•Make sure you know how to update without WIF!

Project Presentation

- •Any materials needed. FIRST WA does not provide any technology for teams to use.
- •If tech is needed, teams are responsible for providing, and must set up withing their 30 minute judging session.

Food, drinks and snacks (unless otherwise noted)

•Some events have concessions available

Extension cord and power strip

Team Roster

•Includes Consent and Release indication for each student

Students registered online by parents in FIRST Dashboard

•Paper consent forms if not registered online

A positive attitude and lots of enthusiasm to cheer for your team!





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