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FIRSTWA FTC Coaches Chat

October 16th, 2025





Agenda

- Fundraising
- Final League Assignments
- Registration and Payment Reminders
- Preparing for your first event









League Assignments are Posted

- All league assignments are posted
 - FIRSTWA: https://firstwa.org/ftc-competition-info/
 - FIRST: https://ftc-events.firstinspires.org/2025/region/USWA
 - If you're not listed and think you should be, let us know!
- Event-specific information should be sent by League Coordinators as we approach your events.





Registration and Payments Reminder

- FIRST HQ Registration
 - Must be done before your first event
 - Recommend at least 2-3 days prior
- FIRST WA Registration
 - Invoices were sent out over the last couple of weeks
 - Most were sent on October 3rd
 - The deadline to secure your invoice is October 25th
 - Please reach out ASAP with any questions payments

Season Calendar Overview

- October 25th: FIRSTWA Invoice Payments Due
- November 1st November 23rd: League Meets
- November 20th: Coaches Chat
- December 6th 20th: League Tournaments
- December 15th: Dean's List Submissions Due









League Meet Event Dates

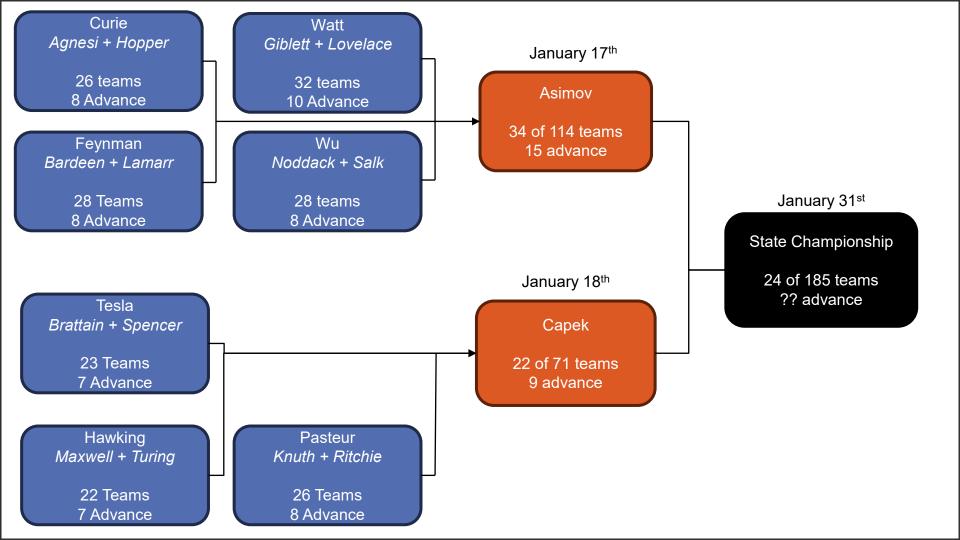
11/1	11/2	11/8	11/9	11/15	11/16	11/22	11/23
Agnesi	Brattain	Lamarr	Maxwell	Bardeen	Knuth	Agnesi	Brattain
Bardeen	Knuth		Ritchie	Salk	Noddack	Giblett	Maxwell
Giblett	Noddack		Spencer			Hopper	Ritchie
Hopper	Turing					Lamarr	Turing
Lovelace						Lovelace	
Salk						Spencer	





League Tournament Event Dates

12/6	12/7	12/13	12/14	12/20
Feynman	Pasteur	Curie	Hawking	Watt
Mill Creek	Mill Creek	Liberty Lake	Snoqualmie	Olympia
		Wu	Tesla	
		Bonney Lake	Issaquah	







Preparing for your first event

- You need to print your team roster and bring it to every event you attend. The roster should list:
 - Your coaches & mentors
 - Your student participants
- Team must be event ready
 - Both coaches have signed consent and release forms as well as passed YPP screening with FIRST
- You must have paid FIRST and FIRSTWA Registration





What else should you bring to your first event?

- Safety glasses
- Robot and batteries
- Tools and repair supplies
- Everything required to drive the robot
- Power strip (in case you need more than 1 outlet)
- Extension cord
- Safety glasses
- Patience and Gracious Professionalism
- Helping Hands To help teams in need or the event coordinators!

Do NOT need to bring portfolio or judging documentation to your league meets

Attend even if your robot isn't done. Or started.

Q&A







