

Falcon Robotics Team Outline and Commitment Form

Falcon Robotics is an extracurricular Robotics Team at St. Joseph High School. We compete in Robotic competitions starting in September 2011 and ending in May 2012. Each year there is a 6-week build period. The FRC events begin in January 2012 and end in May 2012. The team will travel to the Regional Events, where the robot we build will compete in the competitions. We will also hold our annual F.I.R.S.T. Lego Competition at ST. Joes. Additionally Team Members will receive an OKI Robot Kit, Varsity Letter, and pin after actively participating on the robotics team for one year.

Guidelines:

- Members must have a total understanding and follow all the safety rules.
- Attend Open House Sunday October 16th, 2011
- Saint Joes Moderators and students will attend Kickoff on January 7th 2012
- Members should put in 3 days a week (Monday-Friday) during build season
 - At least once a week during non-build period and
 - 10 to 15 hrs per week during the build periods:
 - Saint Joes First Lego Event on Nov 13th - Setup on Nov 12th – Event Day
 - FIRST Build Season – January 7th 2012 to March 2012
- Weekend work during the building period (minimum 5 hrs on weekends)
- Members MUST Stay for Cleanup, a record will be kept
- Tasks will be assigned according to existing and future skills.
 - Existing members will teach new member.
 - The team will be divided into smaller teams, all working together to build the robot.
 - Mechanical, electrical, and programming skills will be taught to new members.
 - If one does not understand something, team leaders and veterans will help.
- Robotics is meant to be a learning experience.
- Try to attend each meeting even if you can't stay for the entire meeting let the moderators know!
 - This will help in the learning process
 - If you are unable to attend – Tell Mr. Salerno or Mr. Milligan
 - Everyone will be given opportunities for hands on work.
- **Cost is \$150 per student.** Due no latter than: October 15th Students will receive:
 1. Oki Kit to build in off-season.
 2. Uniform Robotics Shirt
 3. Robotics Team Jersey
 3. Safety Glasses for meetings.
 4. Transportation to some events.

Student's email: _____

Parent's Primary email: _____

Parent's Secondary email: _____

I _____ have read and understand all of the guidelines.
Print Name (Student)

Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date

Don't forget to register at

<http://www.falconroboticsteam1626.org/student>