# How To Support STEM & Youth Robotics in your community!




## 2026-2027
## FTC Power Robotics

*Part of the South River Robotics Club*

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We make robots,
*And so much more.*

## FTCpower.org

E-mail: Robots@FTCpower.org

## The Teams

- We are 4 FIRST® Tech Challenge (FTC) teams hosted at South River High School in Edgewater, Maryland.

**Cybirds - Team #3583**

**Talons - Team #3796**

**Mech Hawks - Team #5178**

**Hex Wings - Team #32161**

- Each team builds a new robot each season to take part in the competitive challenge revealed in September.
- These teams each then assist other robotics programs in the area for younger kids, or they may opt to host multiple community oriented events related to all things STEM. They do demos, workshops, host panel discussions, and more!
- FTC teams consist of kids from 7th thru 12th grade.
- Teams compete in two qualification competitions for spots at a regional championship and possibly, a world-level competition each season.
- Each FTC team is student-led with help from adult mentors and volunteers for everything from business concerns and budgeting, to metal construction, JAVA programming, and electrical wiring.
- Volunteer mentors and parents help to run the program using school, board, and program guidelines.

## Our Partner

PHRC, Inc is our non-profit partner organization.
This 501(c)(3) helps you or your business donate to this valuable program.

*Begun in 2009, the group helps to facilitate the robotics teams, the spread of STEM education programs, and encourage safe, fun learning.*

*The EIN # is: 27-1125596*

## What is FIRST?

FIRST is an international organization dedicated to STEM education and outreach among ages K-12. It offers exciting mentor-based programs that build science, engineering, and technology skills that inspire innovation, and that foster well-rounded life capabilities including self-confidence, communication, teamwork, and leadership.

Learn more at: FIRSTinspires.org

# *What are you investing in?*

So much more than just robots or tech.

This FIRST program teaches youth what it's truly like working in groups while creating something that matters to them.

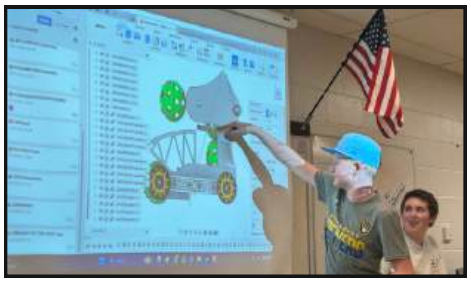
Troubleshooting, contributing ideas, and accepting criticism and challenges improves members' self-confidence.

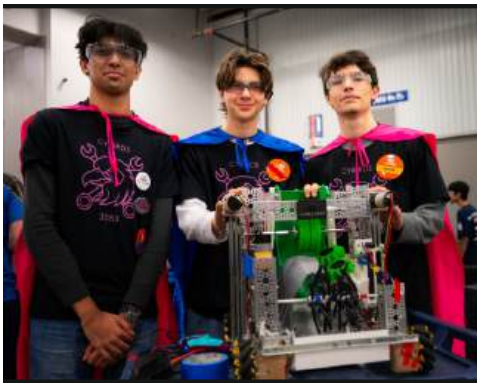
Members take part in judging interviews, community events, and presentations.

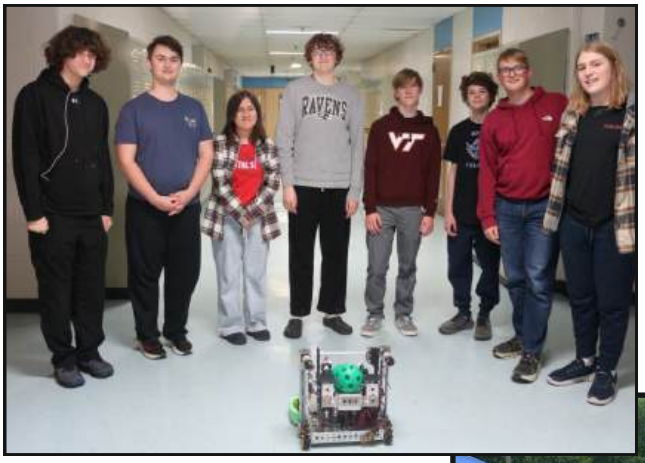
They work with others to introduce STEM topics and teach how much fun it can be.

It's also a student-led organization, so FTC Robotics has an Executive Team of student leaders, offering more great experience.













*Youth members design, build, and program robots, plan strategies, and compete in qualifying matches in hopes of reaching regional finals and World Championship.*

Any financial help, volunteering of time, mentor assistance, or tool, food, and material donations are always welcome.

# Show Your Support for Robotics & Youth

Your contribution enables this incredible program to provide opportunities to a wide variety of students in STEM related endeavors.

The teams will benefit greatly from your donation as it will help in funding their current competition season as well as ongoing efforts to help spread STEM in the community. We work to improve future generations using safe, fun learning, and we thank you for your support.

| Sponsor Level | Amount | Benefits |
|---|---|---|
| **Bronze** | $250-$500 | • Logo on Shirt<br>• Logo on Website |
| **Silver** | $501-$1,000 | • Logo on Shirt<br>• Logo on Website<br>• Certificate of Appreciation |
| **Gold** | $1,001-$5,000 | • Logo on Shirt<br>• Logo on Website<br>• Certificate of Appreciation<br>• Logo on Robot |
| **Diamond** | $5,001+ | • Logo on Shirt<br>• Logo on Website<br>• Certificate of Appreciation<br>• Logo on Robot<br>• Plaque with Team Photo |

This organization is supported by a 501(c)(3) non-profit. You will get a letter as receipt for your donation.



# FTC Sponsorship Form

**Business Name:**

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**Representative Name:**

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**Contact Email:**

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**Contact Phone:**

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**Business Address:**

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**Business Purpose:**

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**What level of sponsorship do you seek** *(check one)*:

- ☐ **Bronze** ($250-$500)
- ☐ **Silver** ($501-$1,000)
- ☐ **Gold** ($1,001-$5,000)
- ☐ **Diamond** ($5,001+)

**Do you have a logo to add to the shirt, or need one?** *(Email to: Robots@ftcpower.org)*

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**How would you prefer to pay?** *(Circle one)*

- **Check** *(payable to: PHRC, Inc.)*
- **Cash**
- **Digital Payment preferred** *(**PayPal Link Here**)*
  *Give us a confirmation code if you pay online.*

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Sponsorship/Donations

Attach payment to this completed form and submit with a student or volunteer, or mail it to:

**PHRC, Inc.,**
**Attn: FTC Power Robotics**
**P.O. Box 342**
**Edgewater, MD 21037**