

TO: Parents and Guardians of Walt Whitman High School Robotics Team
FROM: Lori Newsom, Treasurer
Farish Perlman, Parent Volunteer Coordinator
RE: Family Donations and Sign-up for Team Participants

The WWHS Robotics Team needs to raise \$20,000 this year. We are actively fundraising for this budget from corporate sponsors and donors, but the team also depends on family contributions.

Every family with a student participating in the WWHS Robotics Team is asked to contribute a \$400 donation. The family donation will:

- Help cover the team's competition budget which includes \$9,000 in registration fees for the national FIRST competition and two district tournament, equipment, tools, and parts;
- Pool \$80 from each family into a food fund that team parents will use to feed students as they work through many meals during build season, and
- Cover the purchase of team t-shirts (one per team member)
 - Please circle t-shirt size – x-small small medium large x-large

Please make donation checks payable to: **WWHS Robotics Team Acct# 3530.0002**

Please return donation checks along with ALL forms and the completed checklist to Lori Newsom or Ms. Brown (room B311 to the folder marked ROBOTICS) **no later than September 25th**, so that all students may participate in all robotics activities.

If the suggested donation represents a financial hardship for your family, please contact Lori Newsom confidentially to ask about WWHS funds that could help cover school club or team activity costs for families with financial constraints. We want your student to be able to participate in the team this year.

Thank you for your support of the students and their participation in the Robotics Team!

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