



Robofest eNewsletter 5-19-23

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### **(1) 2023 Robofest World Championship Wrap Up**

Thank you to all for an incredible Robofest season!! Congratulations to all the teams who participated in the Robofest World Championship Finals and Open Categories. We are so happy that we could finally gather in person and we are thankful that we can reach so many students from so many parts of the world through our Autonomous Robotics Competition!

The complete list of winners and a link to official photos are posted on the World Championship page on the Robofest website. <https://robofest.net/index.php/current-competitions/world-championship>

We have uploaded the final scores to each event page under “files” (go to Registration) so you can see the final results.

### **(2) Student Post-Survey and Volunteer Survey**

We would like to assess its efficacy of STEAM education through Robofest robotics. An email will be sent out to every coach on Monday May 22 by Robofest Founder & Advisory Board Chair Prof. CJ Chung who volunteers to evaluate Robofest programs.

Please ask your student team members who participated in Robofest to take an anonymous post-survey online. Please note that Robofest does not send emails directly to student participants.

The URL can be found on the email.

We are also very interested in hearing what volunteers have to say about the Robofest Experience. Dr. Chung will send out emails with links to the surveys next week, so please remember to submit your survey so we know where improvements can be made.

If you do not receive the email with the post-survey or survey link, please contact the Robofest office: [robofest@ltu.edu](mailto:robofest@ltu.edu). Coach survey emails are planned to be sent out in mid-June.

### **(3) Summer Day Camps Announced**

We are hosting one-day summer camps for students to get hands-on experience with LEGO EV3 or VEX IQ robots. Each camp runs from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm in our Computer Science Robotics Lab on Lawrence Tech campus. Registration is open. More dates may be added if interest is high.

Workshop Dates:

Beginning RoboParade for LEGO EV3 with Scratch: Wednesday, June 28

Beginning BottleSumo for VEX IQ using VEX Code: Thursday, June 29

Intermediate Object Manipulation with VEX IQ – Wednesday, August 16

\$50 registration fee per team of up to 3 students / Bring your own lunch (juice or water and snack provided). Camp agendas and information can be found under “Get Involved/Camps” on the Robofest.net website. <https://robofest.net/index.php/current-competitions/camps0>. Registration is now open.

#### **(4) Robofest 2023 Sponsors**

Robofest would not be possible without the support from our generous sponsors. Thank you to all of our sponsors, past and present! Complete list can be found on the web at

<https://www.robofest.net/index.php/about/current-sponsors>

#### **(5) In Search of 5, 10, 15, and 20-Year Coach Award Recipients**

We would like to acknowledge our coaches who have coached Robofest teams for 5, 10, and 15 and 20 years!

If we missed you this year, please send an email to [robofest@ltu.edu](mailto:robofest@ltu.edu) with the subject \*Coach Award\*. include the coach name, coach ID (include all IDs used), and number of years coaching. We will announce your anniversary in the next eNews and send you a plaque.

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