

ComBBAT News



IMPORTANT DATES:

Travel funds due:
January 24th

Stop Build Date:
February 17

Parent Meeting:
February 19 @ 6:00

South Florida Regional:
February 25-28

Orlando Regional:
March 12-14

MEETINGS:

Build season is only 6 weeks!!!

Mondays-Thursdays
4:30PM-7:00PM

Saturday
9:00AM-3:00PM

**!!TIMES CAN CHANGE
FROM WEEK TO
WEEK!!!**

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Happy Halfway Point!!!

Mr. White has requested that everyone looks up Robot in 3 days online.

<http://www.robotin3days.com/>

If anyone wants to change their responsibilities or has any questions about them contact Clara, Stormy, or Wesley. New people need to contact Clara for the sign-up sheet. Also, make sure you are **registered in STIMS!!!!**

Media:

If you have any photos from past years or this year from robotics send them to Madison so she can use them. **MEDIA PEOPLE, SEE CLARA ASAP!**

Who Wants To Be Team Mascot

Start getting your costumes together. Try to get them done soon. If you need help, recruit other team members who aren't doing anything at the moment.

Robot Update

The prototype was able to successfully lift and hold boxes and trash cans. With some tweaks, we think it will work on our robot. The Robot's drive frame was started on Thursday. The lower frame was completed and we began installing uprights on Saturday. We started dismantling the prototype in order to install it on the robot frame. The drive assemblies were shortened (with great pain to Steve). We assembled the KOP battery tray. Possible locations have been found for the drive motors and battery. **FIRST** choice parts arrive, no wheels as of yet.

FUNDRAISING

In order to go to the competitions we want to go to this year, we need money. If you have any fundraising ideas contact Beth Kline☺. (Competition dates will be posted on the webpage: www.combbat21.com).

BUTTONS

We need to begin assembling our buttons, so be ready to work on that while you're here. If you would like to have a button making party contact Clara to start making arrangements.