

Springboro Practice Tournaments

Practice Tournament (table scrimmage only)

Date: Saturday, November 13, 2010

Time: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Practice Presentation (project presentation only)

Date: Wednesday, December 1, 2010

Time: 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Location for both events:

Springboro Intermediate School

705 South Main Street

Springboro, OH 45066

Contact for Registration or Information: Jerry Brewster

Contact E-mail: BoroRobotics@sbcglobal.net

Each November, Springboro Robotics holds two *FIRST*® LEGO® League events to help our teams prepare for the regional qualifying tournaments. The first event is a practice table competition where teams test their robots on the mission table in a standard 2½ minute head to head fashion. We try to simulate the "game table" portion of a regional tournament as closely as possible in order to help the kids learn what to expect at their actual qualifying event. The second event provides teams with an opportunity to practice their Body Forward project presentation in front of an audience of parents, coaches, teachers, and peers. We allow each team up to 7 minutes to give their presentation followed by 5 - 10 minutes of audience questions and answers. This helps the teams polish their presentations, get comfortable speaking in front of an audience, and learn what types of questions they will be asked on competition day.

Springboro Robotics has only one FLL team participating this year. This team will be participating in both events. Our goal is to host a maximum of 6 teams including our own in both events. I would like to personally invite your team to join us for these fun preparation events. This year the table competition will take place on Saturday, Nov 13 from 9:00 AM to 12 Noon.

The practice presentation event will take place on Wednesday, December 1 from 7 - 8:00 PM. All I ask is that each team provide at least one adult volunteer (usually a parent or friend) to help us with the table competition on Saturday, November 13. The volunteer need not have any FLL experience or special knowledge.

If you and your team are able to join us for either or both events, please reply to Jerry Brewster at BoroRobotics@sbcglobal.net with the following information:

- * Team Name
- * Team FLL Number
- * Coach(es) Name(s)
- * Coach(es) Phone Numbers & Email Addresses

* Volunteer(s) Name(s), Phone, and Email (this can be provided later)

* Which Practice Event(s) you plan to attend: