

Meeting Minutes Sep 15

- Getting Grants from the school district and how they have a large amount delegated to booster clubs.
- The other two teams in tomball made it to state.
- Asking members to pay dues to fund our expenses.
- Last year a parent paid for \$2500 of our last minute expenses.
- Talked about FIRST robotics and what its purpose is.
- Vector got a mentor from another district, they made them the powerhouse that they are and helped them get to state.
- These clubs fall apart, we have great potential to be a great club.
- FIRST Robotics Worlds competition is hosted in Houston for a couple of more years.
- Last year we were up several nights before competition building the robot
- We need to decide on a board
- We are going to a remix competition in Conroe Sat Sep 24 that starts at 8 am
- Kick off is ~Jan 7 where they announce all the rules, and the actual competition.
- Theme this year for competition is innovation and energy.
 - Themes are different every year
- The actual event is 3-4 days
 - The actual competition is in march.
- State & national competition this year is at George R. Brown Convention Center
- School background checks for team adult volunteers take about 3 weeks to process
- A big reason we have a booster club is because buying stuff through the school takes forever.
- These Sponsorships for our club are tax deductible
- We talked about doing a zoom meeting next time
- **We have elected Pedro Flores President**
 - **Background: Works as director of engineering**
- **We have elected Valeria Kee as Treasurer**
 - **Background: Works in the financial world**