



The Flying Toasters Student Handbook



Student Contract

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read the handbook and agree to the following points:

- I agree to the policies compiled within the handbook
- Participation requires attendance to mandatory events, and I will comply with the schedule of the events.
- The equipment used during construction of the robot can cause serious harm injury if not used correctly. I understand that members are not permitted to use any piece of equipment until they have been instructed on its safe use and are not permitted to use any piece of power equipment without adult supervision.
- I agree and consent to allow my photographs, name, and comments to be published in materials and media related to The Flying Toasters and South Lyon Robotics.
- I understand that failure to follow the policies outlined in this handbook and those outlined by the South Lyon Community Schools Student Code of Conduct may be punishable up to and include dismissal from the team.
- I understand that the website is the primary means of communication, and will do my best to use it as much as possible unless a suitable replacement has been identified.
- I understand that degradation of other students and/or mentors will not be tolerated, and will do my best to ensure a positive work environment is maintained for everyone.
- I understand that the use of proper language is required.
- I understand that my post, emails, and behavior on and off the field not only reflect upon myself, but on the team and sponsors of the team. As such I will act accordingly.
- I will not participate in any form of romantic relationship with any mentor of the team.
- I understand that all disciplinary action will be left up to the coaching staff, and I will respect his decisions, as they are reflected on my actions.
- I will come to each meeting/event prepared to learn and with an attitude of gracious professionalism.
- I will do my best to engage in all meetings that I am present; this includes actively listening to others, and sharing my ideas with the rest of the team.
- I realize that it is rude to speak when others are speaking, so I will do my best not to talk when others are speaking, and I will do my best not to disrupt meetings by talking out of place or distracting others.
- I will make safety in the workshop my highest priority, and will wear workshop appropriate clothing and take required safety measures in doing such. (I.e. close-toe shoe, no loose clothing, loose hair tied back, safety glasses).
- I will not condone the use of, possession of, selling of, or being under the influence of any and all illegal drugs, controlled substances, underage use of alcohol, or tobacco products.



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- I will respect the belongings of others and the team, and will ask permission of the owner before touching or using his or her property.
- I will promote open and honest communication. I will bring my concerns directly to the responsible party. In the event that lines of communication breakdown I will request a meeting with the board, lead mentor or Jay Obsniuk, as well as other involved parties.
- I understand that there are many tools in the workshop that are very dangerous. If I don't understand how to use a machine/ tool that I was asked to use, I will ask mentors for tips, and follow instructions on how to use the machine/ tool safely.
- If I do not have a job, I will ask others around me if there is a task to complete or if help is needed. If someone gives me a reasonable task to do, I will complete the job to the best of my abilities.
- I recognize that this school activity is governed first and foremost by the SLCS Student Code of Conduct. I pledge to uphold all items of that Code during my participation with the club.
- In situations where a relationship develops or is ongoing between team members, students should follow guidelines outlined in the SLCS student handbook. Furthermore, when students are at competitions and team activities, they should not appear as a couple, but rather as members of the team.



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Please Sign and Return to Mr. Ronald Weber or Mr. Lucas Burkowski by June 25th in order to participate in Flying Toasters Camp.

Student Name (Printed)

Student Email

Parent Email(s)

Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date