

SPARTAN ROBOTICS CLUB

WHAT

3rd-8th Grade Students Work in Small Teams to Learn to Build and Program VEX IQ Robots for Participation in Two Regional Competitions Run by Parent Volunteer Mentors assisted by Warrior Robotics Team Members.

WHEN/WHERE

The club will meet either Wednesdays or Thursdays from 5:30-7:15 pm in the school gym Starting Sept. 18th. The season generally runs from September-the end of January with some teams earning the opportunity to qualify for the State tournament .

THE GAME

This year's VEX IQ Game is Rapid Relay Go Online to Watch a [Video Explanation](#) of the Game and to learn more about Competitive VEX Robotics.

TO SIGN UP

Go to the school website to find the posted online signup. Students must register by Friday Sept. 6th to be placed on teams.

COST

The cost for each student participating is \$100 which pays for tournament registration fees and a club shirt. Payment needs to be made online by Friday Sept. 6th so that grade level teams can be formed prior to the first club meeting. Parents assist with any

CALENDAR

Teams will be assigned either to meet on Wednesday nights or Thursday nights from 5:30-7:30 pm. An optimal night can be selected upon registration. Our major tournament will be on Saturday December 7th in Rice Lake. Some Wednesday nights will be reserved for league competition with Rice Lake Middle School. Please select your night upon signup. Some teams will compete in a Saturday January tournament in Whitehall, WI.

TEAM SELECTION Teams will be formed in elementary and middle school divisions by parent mentors.

QUESTIONS

Contact Jeremy

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We are still looking for more parent mentors who want to get involved.