# **FIRST 2022 27th year!!! Oh Yeah!!!**

##### **Team Meeting 1/8/21 FIRST Website-www.firstinpires.org Team website-www.tj2.org**

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**Student Leadership Board:** Grant W. (Captain), Rohan S., Evan G., Emma O.

**Coaches , Engineers & Volunteers:** Mrs. Calef ( Lcalef@bridge-rayn.org),Mrs. Hall (anniem81949@yahoo.com), Ms. Jerome, Mr. Jahnke, Mr. Stewart, Mrs. Wood, Mr.Delmonte, Mr. Calef, Mr. LaMothe, Jen Flannery, Mr. Nick Avtges, Pat Koczela, Tom Calef, Steve Viera, Heather Charland, Doug Stewart, Brad Wall, Amy Sauger, Eric Theberge, Mrs. Theberge, Trevor Kelly, Paul Terrasi, Dr. Joe Johnson , Ben Warwick, Andras Pungor, Bob Spurr, Shay Mitton, Maggie Taylor, Jose Comi

**Friends of TJ2 Robotics -FOTJ2R** – a 5013C friends support group - President: Scott Rubin, Treasurer: Kerri Spurr, Secretary: Heather Charland – Board of Directors: Bill Wood, Heather Charland, Brad Wall, Nick Avtges, Eric Theberge, Doug Stewart, Scott Rubin, Bob Spurr, Kerri Spurr, Don DeLutis, and Gretchen DeLutis.

**Twitter page https://twitter.com/frcteam88 Google Classroom : z6pvwas**

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**ATTENTION:** When shopping on Amazon.com, if instead you go to www.smile.amazon.com and declare Friends of TJ2 Robotics, Inc., your charity…..0.5% of every purchase will to FOTJ2R without costing you anything!!!!! Please tell all your family and friends.

**Team Meetings:**  Fridays bi-weekly at 2:15pm BRRHS Rm H103 , next meeting 1/14/22

**Meeting agendas** will be posted on our website at <https://www.tj2.org/team-meetings>

**Team Ranking** - based on logged and approved hours recorded on Google Form. Team travel will be determined by number allowed to travel and ranked student list.

**FIRST Scholarship -** Open Date: Wednesday, September 1, 2021 -APPLY APPLY APPLY!!!!

**Dean’s List -** Mentor submission- Open Date: Thursday, November 4, 2021 at 12:00 PM (noon) Eastern Time

Close Date: Thursday, February 10, 2022 at 3:00 PM Eastern Time

**Group Meetings-**

**TJ2 Art – Mondays- BRRHS Rm B204 2:15-4pm**

**TJ2 PR – Tuesdays- BRRHS D138 6-7pm alternate Tuesdays-full team effort needed on these!!!**

**WFA-** Open Date: Thursday, November 4, 2021 at 12:00 PM (noon) Eastern Time

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**TJ2 CAD –During build meetings until robot design is done! BRRHS D138**

**TJ2 Programming – Wednesdays – Zoom 7-8pm and during build meetings as needed.**

**TJ2 Strategy – Thursdays – BRRHS 5:30-6pm D138**

**TJ2 Team Meetings – biweekly Fridays – BRRHS H103 2:15-2:40**

**TJ2 Build – Tuesday and Thursdays BRRHS D134 5:30-8:30pm,**

**Saturdays 9-5pm :Jan 15, 22, 29, Feb 5, Feb 12, Feb19, Feb 26**

**Sundays Feb 6 9-5, Feb13 9-3, Feb 20 9-5, Feb 27 9-5**

**Drive practice and Driver selection will happen at TJA when possible (Feb1 and on???)**

**WATCH CALENDAR FOR UPDATES**

**TJ2Art Group - 2022 Uniforms!!! - Let’s vote for the pattern you will be wearing!!!!**

**SPOTLIGHT- Kickoff**

**Upcoming game- teasers:**

Episode 1 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XmTSXEkGrVw

Episode 2 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sgvAAzhD-n4

Episode 3 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9PJ5RDuPVOs

Episode 4 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Fte2XnDfmgA

Saturday, Jan 8 11:30-2pm- Location BRRHS Lecture Hall

Sunday, Jan 9 noon - 3pm - Location BRRHS Lecture Hall

**New Sponsor Update Thankyou!!!!**

Amazon-amount ???

**Naming update** - JA (jedi Academy) is now TJA (TJ Academy)

Location: Market Basket, Rte. 138, Raynham, MA

**Jan 9th** – Mandatory meeting for all members of TJ2 – 12-3pm.

Mentors and Captains 3-5pm. Location BRRHS Lecture Hall

**Upcoming Team Events: https://www.tj2.org/competition-information**

**March 3-5th**- Granite State New England District Event - commute

**March 18-20** – North Shore New England District Event -commute

Team Strategy – build good robot and run in first two events.

**April 8-10** - Hartford New England District Event

Determine and fix bugs and upgrade to District Championship caliber robot for District Championship

**April 13-16** – New England District Championship Location (TBD possible hotel stay- travel by bus - student payment probably required)

**April 20-23** - Houston, TX - World Championship if we qualify with travel days (April 19-24 by plane - student payment probably required)

**Code of Ethics** -what is expected of all TJ2 members - https://www.tj2.org/codeofethics



**Keep up with TJ2**

Check Google Classroom consistently

Check Google Calendar

Follow Slack - contact Steve Viera if issues - [steven.viera88@gmail.com](mailto:steven.viera88@gmail.com)

**Kickoff Agenda -**

**Saturday**

11:30-11:45- team meeting agenda review

11:45 - Captains/Wall/Viera/Johnson - what are we looking for in game rules

1pm or after broadcast - break into groups and study rules

2pm - meet to discuss rules - What is the game?

3pm - Strategy / Gameplay - Break into groups - How is the game played? What should our robot do?

4pm- Group presentations on what our robot should do and why!

**Sunday**

12pm - Rules Kahoot game for Team rule understanding

1pm - Break into groups for how robot will play game based on Saturday discussion

2pm - Group robot presentations

3pm - Students dismissed - Captains and Mentors make plans for accomplishing robot tasks.