



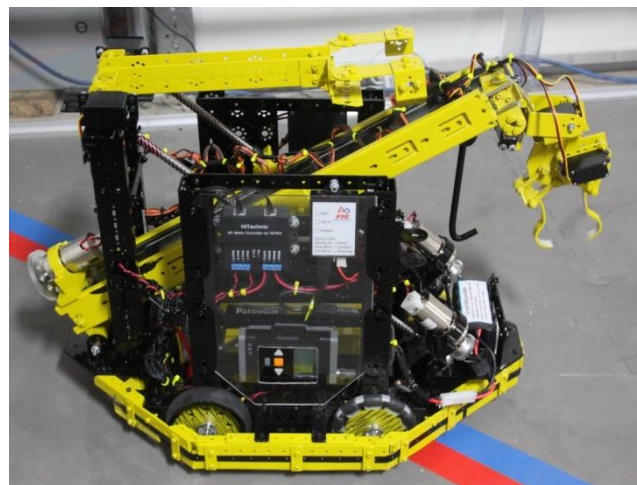
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A team of East Troy middle and high school students have just returned from competing at the World Championship for the *FIRST* Tech Challenge (FTC) robotics program. The team earned this honor by receiving awards and recognition for their robot design and performance at competitions in Wisconsin and Indiana. We are now looking for financial support to cover the estimated \$13,000 cost for our 2013-14 season.

Here is just a sample of what your support will help pay for:

- Tournament registration fees
- Robot parts (motors, servos, batteries, structural members, controllers, etc)
- Computers and CAD software
- 2013-14 FTC field kit and materials
- New tools for our workshop
- Team shirts
- RobotC programming licenses

The Patronum Bots were the only FTC team from Wisconsin invited to participate in this year's World Championship. This honor is reserved for less than 5% of all FTC teams worldwide. The team had the opportunity to collaborate with teams from Russia, Jamaica as well as teams from all around the United States.



Our goal for the next season is to build on what we learned during our rookie season. We plan to build a robot that utilizes sensors for accurate positioning and a more versatile drivetrain for easier movement around the playing field. We also will be using AutoCAD to design and document our robot design.

We hope you will consider becoming a part of our team by providing the financial support we need for the upcoming season.

**TEAM # 5972**

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Our team deeply appreciates each and every donation made to support the efforts of our team. Depending on the level of support you are able to provide, our team would like to thank you with a little something extra.

### **\$2000+ Ministers of Magic**

Your logo will appear in our promotional materials, on our website with a link, on our pit banner, on our team shirts, on the robot cart and on our competition robot. You will also receive a Patronum Bots team shirt.

### **\$1000+ Headmasters**

Your logo will appear in our promotional materials, on our website with a link, on our pit banner, on our team shirts and on the robot cart.

### **\$500+ Professors**

Your logo will appear in our promotional materials, on our website with a link. Your company name will be listed on our team shirt.

### **\$250+ Wizards**

Your logo will appear in our promotional materials, and on our website with a link.

### **< \$250 Muggles**

Your logo will appear on our website with a link.

Thank you again for your consideration and support. Our team is affiliated with the local high school so all contributions are tax deductible. If you are writing a check please make it out to **East Troy High School** and send the check to Shawn Hunter, 2704 Prairie Court, East Troy, WI 53120. Please check out our website and social media sites for updates on our progress throughout the season.

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