



# D.L.H.S. QWERTY Robotics Sponsor Form

Team Website: [www.qwertyrobotics.com](http://www.qwertyrobotics.com)

The QWERTY Robotics team needs your help! Our team is funded through community support, sponsorship grants, and fundraisers done by students. Your monetary contributions to the team would be greatly appreciated & help us immensely. Contributions will be used to compete at the 2017 FIRST Robotics competition in Minneapolis, MN (and hopefully we will advance to the international championship).

The QWERTY Robotics team is seeking partners to help offset the approximate \$20,000 costs which include:

- registration & basic parts to begin building the 2016 robot
- travel expenses & lodging for the team for competitions
- additional materials needed for the robot (ie. designs, programs & building materials)
- building site needs, tools, website domain fees, safety, promotional items, team attire, etc.

## What We Do

*The FIRST Robotics competition is an international robotics competition where high school students work together with mentors to complete a variety of tasks that change from year to year. We design, build prototypes, program, wire, and build robots. Each year the challenge is presented to teams from across the country and around the world. Ultimately, they compete in a head-to-head, highly competitive, energetic sporting robotic event.*

## Team Accomplishments

*Participated in 13 robotics competitions from 2009-2016*

*2011 - 1st place with our robot, "The Truck", at Minnesota's Regional FIRST Robotics Competition at the University of MN, advancing us to the FIRST International competition in St. Louis, MO, competing with teams from 28 countries around the world*

*2012 – Our team captain won the Minnesota State Regional FIRST Dean's List Finalist award & advanced to the international competition in St. Louis, MO*

*2013 – awarded the Imagery Award at the Alberta, Canada Regional FIRST Robotics competition, which celebrates attractiveness in engineering & outstanding visual aesthetic integration from the machine to team appearance*

*2015 - our QWERTY team mentored & started an FLL team, competing in our second international competition*

## Professionalism

*Although we are a robotics team, "It's not just about the Robot!" Students on the team learn about gracious professionalism, teamwork, computer programming, CAD (computer-aided design), mechanical building, electrical wiring, web design, leadership and time management. We work with volunteer mentors from the community that offer us time, experience and knowledge. The QWERTY team members lend assistance to neighboring teams.*

We thank you very much for your time and getting to know about the Detroit Lakes High School QWERTY Robotics team!

~The D.L.H.S. QWERTY Robotics Team

**PARTNERSHIP COMMITMENT LETTER**

For QWERTY Robotics: FIRST Team 3278

Partner Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Contribution Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Contribution Date \$ \_\_\_\_\_

- OR -

Contribution Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I/We enter into a partnership with Detroit Lakes High School QWERTY Robotics team located in Minnesota. With this partnership, I/We pledge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to be used by the team to compete in the 2017 FIRST Robotics competition at 10K Lakes in Minneapolis, MN and ultimately the national championship in St. Louis, MO.

QWERTY Robotics team will use this contribution responsibly and put forth their best effort to compete fairly and professionally.

All financial support is tax deductible and can be made payable to:

*QWERTY Robotics, Detroit Lakes Public Schools  
Attn: Logan Stewart, Team Advisor & Mentor  
702 Lake Ave  
Detroit Lakes, MN 56501  
218-422-6651*

**QWERTY Robotics Partnership Levels** - Business / Individual Name or Logo Placed On:

**Platinum . . . . . \$ 2000 or more**

*\*The Robot \*Sponsor Board in Pit Area \*Team Website: [www.qwertyrobotics.com](http://www.qwertyrobotics.com)*

**Gold . . . . . \$ 1000 - \$ 1999**

*\*Team Attire \*Sponsor Board in Pit Area \*Team Website*

**Silver . . . . . \$ 500 - \$ 999**

*\*Sponsor Board in Pit Area \*Team Website*

**Bronze . . . . . \$ 10 - \$ 499**

*\* Team Website*