

FLL Challenge Coach Meeting 11/7/20

Notes

- About 25-30 coaches attended from communities around Alaska, ranging from brand new coaches to veteran coaches of more than a dozen years
- Quick season overview
 - Everyone is in a different place this season; Core Values are key!
 - Resources- [Guidelines for COVID Interruptions](#), extra mats/fields, Thinkspace
 - Tournament dates- 2021, probably Feb/Mar but we want to accommodate teams
 - In person/ remote/ hybrid- at this point, looks like remote is most likely
 - Scrimmages and other pre-tournament events- gauging interest
- Judging and rubrics are different- one 30 minute judging session. See season materials.
- Youth protection/consent
 - Recently revised adult consent form- check your dashboard
 - Electronic consent for youth- required NOW, not end of season
 - Paper only as a last resort, no scanning, no emailing. Contact Alyson.
 - Very concerned about data protection
- Resources
 - Intro to coaching posted on website at www.jedc.org/firstinalaska/training
 - Robot Game Deep Dive on website at www.jedc.org/firstinalaska/training
 - Upcoming training- TBD, watch the training page of the website
 - Discussed Virtual Robotics Toolkit, Virtual Brick, and similar applications to run programs in a virtual setting.
 - *FIRST* in Alaska website- new page of resources
 - “Office hours” from FRC/FTC teams? Let us know if you’re interested
- Communications
 - *FIRST* FaceBook page
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 - *FIRST* in Alaska *FIRST* LEGO League coaches group (closed)
 - FLL Challenge Share and Learn FaceBook group (closed)
 - Website www.jedc.org/firstinalaska 2020-2021 Season Updates
 - Watch for email
 - Contact me- acooper@jedc.org, 465-7524
- Please watch for and complete the survey headed your way
- Questions?