

TECHNOKats

November 8, 2018



Team 45

We're Home!

After 20 years at Duke Energy, we are in the process of moving back to Kokomo High School. We're excited about the new opportunities this will make available to students.

Recruiting

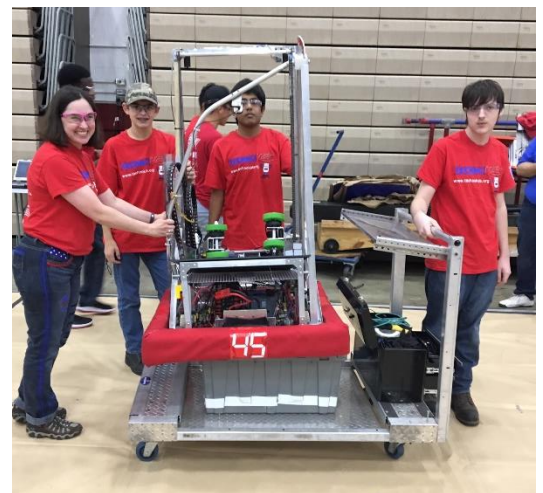
We have more than 15 new students who have joined the TechnoKats this year! This year's team is a group of hard-working, enthusiastic students with can-do attitudes. We can't wait to see what's ahead for us this season!



During our 25th season in 2016, we began raising money to purchase STEM related books for the Kokomo elementary schools. In October, we delivered these robot bookshelves and more than forty library-bound books to Bon Air and Pettit Park Elementary Schools.



Students have pitched in and helped with shop packing and moving throughout the fall. They've learned a lot about tools, machines, and robotic parts in the process.



On October 20, the team participated in the CAGE exhibition match at Southport High School. Every student who attended had the opportunity to drive or operate the robot.

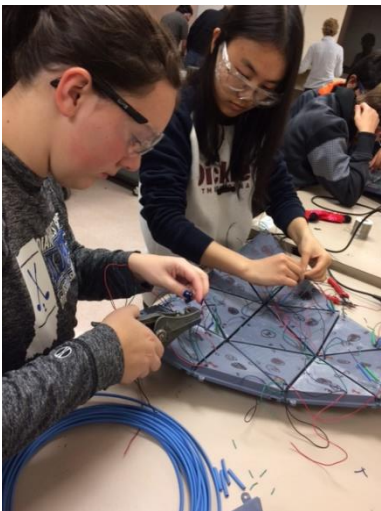
Current Projects: The team is hosting the 8th annual City of FIRSTS Lego League Qualifying Tournament, and is busy building Lego Mission Models for the competition. Stop by Kokomo High School 1-4 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 17 to see elementary and middle school students compete with their Lego Mindstorm robots.



58
days until
Kick-off!



Current Projects: The team is building a new, programmable ball for the New Year's Eve celebration in downtown Kokomo. The new ball includes 3D-printed parts, and will be able to display a variety of color patterns and pictures.



Want to get more involved in the TechnoKats? We need your help! We're looking for adults who can mentor or assist in the following areas:

- Web design
- Electrical systems
- Pit crew at events
- Parent committee/ meals
- Pulling the trailer to events
- After-school tutoring
- Programming assistance
- Sponsor development
- Award and business assistance

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