



ST. BROTHER ANDRE CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

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Saint Brother Andre Catholic High School First Robotics Team # 4252

Hello,

On behalf of Saint Brother Andre's Robotics Club, I would like to thank you for taking interest in supporting both future engineers and your community.

WHO WE ARE:

- ◆ We are an extracurricular club of approximately 40 highly motivated students from grades 9-12.
- ◆ Together we form a team that participates in the F.I.R.S.T Robotics Competition (FRC), the largest such competition in North America.
- ◆ With help from our school, local businesses, and families, we race to build a task-specific robot as specified by F.I.R.S.T Robotics in **six intense weeks** and compete at a local regional competition to hopefully make the world championship in St Louis, Missouri.

Our involvement in robotics started at Saint Brother Andre in 2012 to meet the need for an academic club with an engineering focus. For the first time last year, we competed in a grueling three-day regional competition at U.O.I.T. (University of Ontario Institute of Technology) and made it to the semi finals against 34 teams. This was a large feat for a small engineering club that had never competed at this level! We are gearing up to return this year and use our knowledge and experience to help us earn a ticket to the world championship. This cannot be completed without **YOU!**

We are seeking corporate and individual sponsors who believe, as we do, that supporting robotics is an investment in the future.

Each company and individual can help in many ways. Support is not limited to cash donations. Whatever you feel will be beneficial to us would be greatly appreciated. Whether you are an engineer looking to be a professional mentor, an electronics retailer willing to give store credit, or a local business able to give a cash donation, we need you to help make this a reality. All monetary donations are eligible for a tax receipt if the value of the donation is more than \$25 and the cheque is made out to the Y.C.D.S.B. (Sponsors who wish their logo to be on our robot are not eligible for a tax receipt.) If requested, we are also willing to provide a personalized letter and team picture (perfect to frame for a lobby) and/or a "meet and greet" with the team and the completed robot.

The community is invited to utilize the York Catholic District School Board's on-line payment system for donations to the school. This is a safe and secure method to make a donation of \$25 or more to the school through an on-line payment method. Go to website: www.canadahelps.org and enter York Catholic District School Board as the charity name, select "donate now" and then select the school name from the fund designation list.

Thank you in advance for supporting the great minds of tomorrow. For more information, please do not hesitate to call me at (905) 294-7671 or at dan.zaroski@ycdsb.ca

Sincerely,

Dan Zaroski
Principal



Joy Augustine
Math and Computers Teacher

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York Catholic District School Board

Dear Sponsors,

Team 4252 recognizes the support that our financial sponsors provide us. Through our sponsorship rewards system, we show our utmost gratitude for your generous donation to our robotics team. In addition to your personalized letter from Team 4252, you will also receive:

Diamond (\$2000+) – Meet and Greet with Team 4252 + Company Name in Team Name + Framed Certificate of Recognition + Company Logo on Robot + Framed Team Photo with Robot

Platinum (\$1500+) – Company Name in Team Name + Framed Certificate of Recognition + Company Logo on Robot + Framed Team Photo with Robot

Gold (\$1000+) – Framed Certificate of Recognition + Company Logo on Robot + Framed Team Photo with Robot

Silver (\$750+) – Framed Certificate of Recognition + Company Logo on Robot

Bronze (\$500+) – Framed Certificate of Recognition

This year, our minimum target is \$8000 (\$5000 for registration fees and \$3000+ for the robot).

If you would like to donate directly to our team online, go to canadahelps.org; enter York Catholic District School Board as the charity and select St. Brother Andre ROBOTICS. If you would like to donate via cheque, please make it payable to YCDSB.

If you have any questions or special requests, please feel free to contact me at jasonmtang@hotmail.ca.

For more information on our team, visit team4252.com. Once again, thank you for your kind support.

Sincerely,



Jason Tang

Marketing Head – Team 4252