



THE PASCACK PI-ONEERS

FIRST ROBOTICS TEAM 1676



The Pascack Pi-oneers is a high-performing, energetic team of individuals who dedicate themselves to meeting technical and non-technical challenges. The team operates most effectively when all members contribute positively to team goals.

I, _____, have read, fully understand, and hereby agree to the following terms required for being on the *FIRST* Robotics Competition Team 1676, the Pascack Pi-oneers, for the 2021-2022 school year:

1. I will be held to the requirements of the team scorecard, which shows a combined view of all team obligations. If I do not meet the scorecard requirements, I will be cut from the team.
2. During my rookie season, I will participate in at least 10 hours of team service. As a veteran, I will participate in a minimum of 15 hours of team service. Regardless of my standing on the team, these hours must be completed by December 15, 2021.
 - a. I will sign in and keep track of the time spent at such team service events, or risk not receiving credit for my service hours.
 - b. I will actively participate in at least 2 outreach events.
 - c. I will attend all mandatory team meetings, unless in the case of illness, an emergency, or an absolute unavoidable conflict.
 - d. If I know in advance that I cannot attend a mandatory meeting or event, I must notify the CEOs and the head coach of the conflict at least one week in advance.
 - e. I acknowledge that the team reserves the right to send me home if I show up to an outreach event without signing up beforehand.
3. I understand that Pi-Tech sessions are combined tryout and training sessions. They are mandatory and important, and should be missed only for a serious, unavoidable reason.
 - a. If I miss more than 2 Pi-Tech sessions, I will be dismissed from the team.
 - b. I am aware that projects, tests, or homework assignments are not valid excuses for missing a Pi-Tech session.
 - c. If I cannot attend a Pi-Tech, I am aware that I must inform the CEOs, head coach and sub-division leader at least one week in advance.
 - d. I am aware that Pi-Tech includes a subject area assessment and a team information assessment, both of which will contribute to my scorecard.
4. I will be present and diligently working for at least 4 days per week, 3 hours a day during Build Season. I understand that I am expected to participate after Build Season, as indicated on the team scorecard.
 - a. I am aware that I will receive a Performance Review at the end of the second week of Build Season. If deemed necessary, I will receive an additional Performance Review at the end of the fourth week of Build Season. I am aware that satisfactory Performance Reviews and making a positive contribution to the team are required to be part of the Travel Team and remain on Team 1676.
 - b. I understand that I am permitted to take a small portion of time to do school assignments during build meetings, done with proper discretion.(?)
5. I will adhere to the specific rules that apply during competition season.



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- a. I will not use my phone in the stands for anything unrelated to scouting, *FIRST* strategy or vital communication.
 - b. I will treat all teams and team members with respect.
 - c. I will not only be in the stands for our matches and for my scouting rotation, but will continue to watch other matches that our team is not participating in. I will only take short, reasonable breaks to other locations within the venue.
 - d. I will adhere to the competition safety guidelines that are outlined in the Safety Contract.
6. I will use social media in a respectful way when addressing or referring to all other teams within *FIRST*.
- a. I will never post derogatory messages or photos that reference other teams, Team 1676, or individuals.
 - b. I am aware that social media is a tool that should be utilized only to form positive connections with other members of the *FIRST* community.
 - c. I will not reference other teams on social media unless I am distinctly praising them.
7. I will maintain my academic standing while contributing to the team. I will provide the teachers coaching the team with my current grades when asked.
8. When working, I will follow all team rules, school policies, and instructions from team leaders.
9. I agree to demonstrate appropriate behavior at all times. I will abide by team rules and uphold the team's standards.
- a. I will be well behaved and courteous by displaying Gracious Professionalism to everyone at all robotics meetings, competitions, and events.
 - b. Any writings authored by me on paper or online will reflect well on me and the team.
 - c. I will treat all members of Team 1676 and any *FIRST* team with respect.
 - d. I agree to sign and comply with the Safety Contract and all other team contracts that apply to my position on the team.

Student Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____