



STRIKE ZONE | TEAM 5460

Sponsor Letter

Dear potential partner,

We are Strike Zone Robotics, a competitive high school robotics team from Lapeer, Michigan. For nine years we have been producing world-class robots and highly skilled high school graduates prepared for their future. We are able to accomplish this through a combination of hands-on learning and mentorship from experienced in-industry professionals from many backgrounds. Technology is rapidly advancing and it's important that the next generation is well versed in innovation and creative thinking to continue this progression. Strike Zone Robotics' goal is to transform students into future leaders and innovators to help fulfill those needs.

Strike Zone Robotics relies on our partnership with our sponsors and the funding they provide as it allows our team to have access to the necessary tools, machines, and materials to help our students succeed. Sponsoring our team allows us to travel and compete at prestigious events all over the world. The average season often sees the team travel to two district events within Michigan, one district event within Canada, the Michigan State Championship and finally the World Championship held in Houston, TX.

With the cost of materials, machining, traveling, and registration, just maintaining our team can take up to fifty thousand dollars a year. Sponsorship can also include more than just money, we also accept building materials, catered meals, machine equipment, etc. Sponsoring Strike Zone Robotics is an investment into the community; our team is constantly working to make Lapeer a beacon for STEAM (science, technology, engineering, arts, mathematics). Through Strike Zone Robotics, our students are working to better themselves and the lives of the people around them. Keep in mind that Strike Zone Robotics is a part of the Lapeer Community School District. This means that in most situations your donation may be tax deductible. Please consult your tax preparer to be certain.

Fresh off our World Championship finalist run, we are looking to win it all this upcoming season! Your sponsorship helps our team not only build a robot but also gives young students a chance to innovate and explore their own paths, so please take time to consider our partnership.

Sincerely,

The Students of Strike Zone Robotics

For additional questions contact us at:

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Sponsorship Levels

Partnering with our team has numerous benefits! Not only does it allow us to provide unique hands-on learning opportunities for our students, but it is a great way to potentially recruit future employees! Many of our alumni now work for team partners!

Sponsorship Levels:

<i>GOLD PARTNER</i> \$5000+	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Public recognition during alliance selection at all events• Large company logo on competition robot• Large company logo on team shirt• Large company logo displayed in our pit at competitions• Company name listed on team website• Invite to all team events
<i>SILVER PARTNER</i> \$1000+	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Company logo on competition robot• Company logo on team shirt• Company logo displayed in our pit at competitions• Company name listed on team website• Invite to all team events
<i>BRONZE PARTNER</i> \$250+	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Small logo on competition robot• Company name on team shirt• Company logo displayed in our pit at competitions• Company name listed on team website• Invite to all team events

Strike Zone relies on donations from our sponsors to operate. Partnering with us provides the financial backing needed to run a team dedicated to providing a hands-on learning opportunity year-round to our students. Any and all forms of donations are greatly appreciated.

Season Registration	\$6,000
Michigan State Championship Registration	\$4000
FIRST Championship Registration	\$5,000
Additional Event Registration	\$2,800
Travel Accommodations	\$15,000
Robot Materials	\$10,000
Operation and Maintenance	\$2,700
TOTAL YEARLY BUDGET	\$45,500



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Donation Form

Strike Zone Robotics is a part of the Lapeer Community School District. This means that in most situations your donation is tax deductible. Please consult your tax preparer to be certain.

As an official team sponsor you are entitled to several benefits in return for your contributions. The comprehensive sponsor level breakdown is also contained within this packet.

Donations of marketable goods and services are also welcomed. Please contact us to discuss any question you may have regarding these or any other aspect of donations.

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Company / Organization	
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Contact Email	
Amount	\$

Would you like to join our build season newsletter? Please leave a good email below.

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Wish to remain anonymous? Check this box:

All mailed donations should be addressed to

Strike Zone Robotics CFI Room 105
170 Millville Rd. Lapeer MI, 48446

Please make all check payable to "Strike Zone Robotics"

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