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### EXOTHERMIC ROBOTICS

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# JANUARY NEWSLETTER

Throughout January, **Exothermic Robotics** has had a wonderful experience attending and preparing for the Ignite the **Northwest Signature Event**, **League Nights**, and **the Highland Games!** Written By: Emily Chu

### RECENT NEWS



## Exothermic Robotics Team Wins Second Signature Event

ON JAN. 15TH, TEAM 10C WON THE IGNITE THE NORTHWEST SIGNATURE EVENT, THEIR SECOND SIGNATURE TOURNAMENT CHAMPION TITLE OF THE SEASON, DOUBLE QUALIFYING THEM TO THE VEX WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS OF 2023- 2024.



## RECENT NEWS



### Ignite the Northwest Signature Event

January 13– 15th was a very busy time for Exo students! Teams 10A, B, C, E, F, G, J, K, M, N, R, S, T, W, X, & Z had the privilege to compete in **Washington's first Signature event**, hosted by Ignite Robotics! Once again, Exo had eyes on the prizes, with **10C** winning the **Tournament Champion title**, **10X** winning the **North Division Build Award**, and **10B** winning the **West Division Finalist Title**!

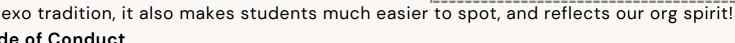
### <u>Highland Games</u>

On Jan. 20th, **10A**, **K**, **M**, **and N** competed in the Highland Games in Shoreline, WA. Congrats to team **10A** for winning the **Design Award**, **qualifying to state**, and taking home the **Skills Champion** title!

### REMINDERS

### 1. EXO Shirts

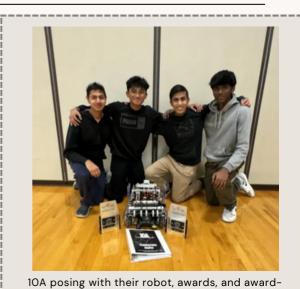
 Exo shirts are mandatory at all competitions (aside from League Nights)! Not only is it an old



- 2.Code of Conduct
  - This month, the student board put together the Exo Code of Conduct. Please read through it and let board members know of any questions that arise!

## Current State Skills Rankings (Top 5 Exo teams)

Team:	Ranking:	Results:
10F	<b>4</b> (State), <b>80</b> (World)	Driver: 162 points; Programming: 181 points
10C	<b>8</b> (State), <b>134</b> (World)	Driver: 176 points; Programming: 152 points
10K	<b>9</b> th in state	Driver: 170 points; Programming: 155 points
10A	<b>10</b> th in state	Driver: 163 points; Programming: 161 points
10T	<b>17</b> th in state	<u>Driver</u> : <b>172</b> points; <u>Programming</u> : <b>109</b> points



winning notebook!

### Upcoming Events

#### 1. February 2-4th: Mecha Mayhem-

• Up in Alberta, Canada, 10B will be competing in the Mecha Mayhem Signature event! We're rooting for you!

#### 2. February 3rd: Cavelero Cup-

Teams 10K, 10M, 10S, 10W, and 10X are signed up to compete at Cavelero Mid High School!
Good luck teams!

### 3. February 10th: Bellingham ROBO- Bash-

• 10A, B, C, F, K, S, T, W, and Z are all signed up to compete at Bellingham High School. The tournament only accepts physical engineering notebooks, so be sure to print!

### 4. February 14th: Exothermic League Night (FINALS)-

 This Valentine's Day, even if you don't have a shot at a date, at least you'll have a shot at competing at state by winning the Exothermic League Competition! Engineering notebooks are to be turned in and interviews will also be held, so come prepared!

### 5. February 17th: Exothermic Winter Challenge-

• Being one of the last chances at qualifying for the state championship, teams should be busy preparing to put on their game faces and winning some awards!

### 6. February 24th: Bantam Panther Bonanza-

• Team 10E will be traveling to Clarkston High School to compete in the Bantam Panther Bonanza! Best of luck!

### 7. February 24th: High Voltage-

 Teams 10A, F, G, J, K, N, R, S, T, and Z will be competing at the Sky Valley Education Center. Remember, this is a non-judged tournament, so engineering notebooks are not needed, and only tournament champions earn state qualifications!

### Our Community



Jeffrey, 10B, found munching on ice cream, lamb, cucumbers, fried rice, and hot pot, all in 1 sitting!



DD, IOC, posing with the spriteflavored cake she baked for James!



Debu, 10T, proudly showing off the diaper that he made from an exo shirt!

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