VEX IQ Event Guide 2022-2023

Guide to Robotevents.com and Cal Robotics VEX IQ registration process

Each team picks the tournament(s) and/or league dates they would like to attend. Teams can do any combination they choose..one league/one tournament, two tournaments/no leagues. Please keep in mind, the more teams compete, the better they get!

Registration Process

Coaches/Mentors/Captains - please DO NOT register your team on robotevents.com.   The Vex IQ coordinators will register and pay the fees for all teams. To inform us of which event(s) your team would like to participate, please complete this Vex IQ Events Request Form. Due to COVID, we are not registering teams until you know for sure you will attend an event.

BEFORE completing the above Request Forms, please review the following criteria:

- WWW.ROBOTEVENTS.com -Please review the event on this website prior to signing up through Cal Robotics. Double check the price, type of event, location, awards, agenda, cancellation policy etc...to make sure this event is the right one for your team and that there have not been any last minute changes by the Event Provider. See below for tips on searching for events.

FEES
- Each VEX IQ team can compete in up to two regular season events (league and/or tournament) and have the cost covered by Cal Robotics. Teams may also choose to compete in additional tournaments and/or leagues, but the team will be responsible for all cost associated with the additional events.
- Postseason -State, Invitationals and Worlds Tournament fees ARE the responsibility of the team as are all fundraising activities to pay for travel costs to and from these events. Team coaches/mentors need to complete a Fundraiser Request form and follow the Caledonia EnrichED's Fundraising Guidelines (page 3).
- Please choose wisely and review each event's refund policy as there are **no refunds** once the fee has been paid for many events.

EVENT SPECIFICS
- Some events are ES (elementary) or MS (middle school) specific or are Blended (MS and ES competing against each other)
- NO Regionals (all Michigan-based events qualify for State spots) or Skills-Only Events (teams MUST do Skills runs at Leagues or Tournaments.

Early Bird Registration -

For more Information regarding the Early Bird Registration - click HERE for the FAQ

- Events will open for registration 8 weeks before the event

- The early bird registration period ends 6 weeks before the event

- During early bird registration, only host teams and teams who have registered for less than 2 events may register (Leagues, Workshops, Invitationals do not count towards this number)

- After the early bird period ends, all teams may register for the event

HOW TO SEARCH FOR EVENTS ON www.robotevents.com

- Click on Robotic Competition and a drop-down box will appear. Click on VEX IQ Competition.
- Click on State/Region then choose Michigan. Click on **FILTER.** All Michigan Events will be listed. If you are looking for a specific type of event ie...league then click on Event Type and choose an event type, then **FILTER** again.
- At this point, you can access the World Skills Rankings by clicking on the blue box
- You can also search for events via Map Search. Click on the blue box for Map Search. Click on Filter. Click on Programs and de-select all but VRC. Below United States, click on the drop-down and find and select Michigan. Click on **FILTER**. You can then search by map and/or click on LIST and see a list view on the side of the screen.