

FIRST LEGO LEAGUE JR. (fka JrFLL) 2017



WELCOME!

- ★ The FLLJr program provides an opportunity for students in Kindergarten through Third Grade to participate in a fun after-school program designed to promote interest in science and technology.
- ★ Students will learn basic design and researching skills as they learn about a real-world topic, build a LEGO model, and create a poster about what they learned and their experience. This year the theme involves ANIMALS.
- ★ Teams typically take a field trip as part of their research. Fun!!
- ★ The program's basic tenets include hands-on experience, fun, teamwork, and recognition of all participants.
- ★ Teams are directed by adult volunteers, usually parents.

Teams

FLLJr Guidelines: Teams may have 3 to 6 students ages 6-10. (Age as of 1-1-17)
1st to 3rd-graders may participate. Kindergarten students may be allowed if a parent is a coach or assistant coach and if they are mature enough.

PVEF will provide:

- *FLLJr LEGO kit
- *Creature Craze Inspire Set
- *Engineering Notebook for each team member
- *Team Meeting Guide for Coaches
- *Coaches' Workshop
- *Team t-shirts for members and two adults per team
- *FLLJr Team Registration Fee @ FIRST
- *FLLJr EXPO

Teams will provide:

- +Two adults to register and serve as Coach and Assistant Coach.
- +Mentor (optional, but strongly recommended)
- +Place to meet
- +Poster materials
- +Optional additional LEGO pieces
- +A minimum of one volunteer to assist with the EXPO on May 6
- +Enthusiasm!

- PVEF-sponsored teams will have Camarillo public school students as team members. Although they may be organized by school, these are not official school activities. The team members do not all have to attend the same school.

- Teams will meet once or twice a week for approximately 10 weeks. Meeting places and times will vary. Each team will set its own schedule.
- One or two adults must register for each team at www.pvef.org and then complete a brief online background check through FIRST for the team to become official. Co-coaches are OK and encouraged. Individual team members register after their coaches have established the team.

Cost

== \$35.00 participation fee for each student. Hardship waivers will be available online as part of the individual registration process at www.pvef.org.

== Sponsors and donations are welcome!! www.pvef.org Registration fees are waived if a team has a sponsor at \$350 level or above.

FLLJr Calendar 2017

PVEF presentation about FLLJr program - MPR -La Mariposa School	Monday, January 30, 2017 6:30 PM
Team registration by coaches; Individual registration and payment (online @ pvef.org)	Jan. 31 to March 11, 2017
RSVP for Coaches' Workshop (@pvef.org)	Jan. 31 to Feb. 15, 2017
Coaches' Workshop & kit pick up date. (location tba)	Saturday, Feb. 18, 2017 9:00-11:30 AM
Team sponsorship deadline & T-shirt designs/orders due	March 11, 2017
EXPO registration @ pvef.org	March 1 to April 21, 2017
EXPO Program submissions due	April 25, 2017
PVEF Camarillo FLLJr EXPO Monte Vista Gym	Saturday, May 6, 2017 11:00 AM & 3:30 PM (tent.)

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