This document serves as an approximate timeline for the DHS Robotics club, however there is no documentation at the beginning, and the team may have started as an independent.

The club was probably founded in 2004.

It started by competing in the First Robotics Challenge, and continued to compete as one team, WARBOTS, until after 2008.

It is uncertain when the First Robotics Challenge team 1525, split into multiple First Tech Challenge teams, but they most likely split into the FTC teams 10630 and 10415(who kept the name Warbots?) in 2015, and then created team 15118 in 2018.



There are probably more details documented in other places like deer prints past 2005 or 2006.

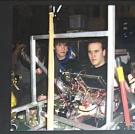
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MIG, TIG, Plasma... Bill Rixon is a welder of all trades!



Karen Sittig and Chris Shwartz finish the robot's electronics panel.



This stuff can be confusing... especially with little sleep!



The 2008 "Wabbit" at the Chicago Midwest Regional.



to play a game which is announced at the beginning of the season. The team's work starts at the brainstorming and planning stages. The designs for drive train, special features, and a game strategy are next in line. For the following weeks, the team works on building the robot and mastering the skills involved in driving, operating, and preparing for competition. It is a strenuous, intense six weeks, where members work around the clock in order to get the job done.

This is the team's fourth year of competition and have been honored with several awards, including a trip to Championships in Atlanta. The team fund-raises all of its money every year, and invites companies around the area to help sponsor the program. New for 2008, Underwriters Laboratories became a team sponsor with a \$14,000 donation. Such help alleviated more than half of the season budget.



"Are you sure the lick-and-stick method is going to work?" asks a weary Lawry Goldstein.

Row 1: Niki Graham, Jon Coren, Thomas Schweinfurth, Mr. Herb Regan. Row 2: Josh Dennison, David Christians, Andrew Schweinfurth, Bill Rixon, Harrison Alch. Row 3: Scott Campbell, Michael Elman, Michael Abosch, Michelle Roehl, Andrew Rixon, Sean Derrig. Not Pictured: Lawry Goldstein, Sam Schwartz, Karren Sittig, Dusty Bodine, Keith Wiersema, Greg Larmore, Rory Fencl, Xinyu He, , Chris Shwartz.

#### Warbots



WARRIOR ROBOTICS (WARBOTS)

The First Robotics Challenge team 1525:Warbots

## Late Night at the Barn



### Robotics



The 2007 drivers,
Michael Saydak and
Brian Roehl, as well
as the 2007 coach,
Casey Comisky, pose
for a picture at the
Milwaukee, Wisconsin
regional.

Sponsors: Mr. Herb Regan & Mr. Ron Blanche

This year's Robotics team made giant strides toward becoming more competitive. Awards this year included the Judge's Award at the Wisconsin regional, and the prestigious Engineering Inspiration Award at the Midwest regional. The team secured a spot at Nationals with the win of the award at the Midwest regional, and will enjoy this new opportunity to explore robotics.





Row 1: Sam Schwartz, David Feldman, Karen Sittig, Nicole Graham, Andrew Schweinfurth, Josh Dennisson. Row 2: Harrison Alch, Casey Comisky, Michael Blman, Scott Campbell, Michael Saydak, Lawrence Goldstein. Row 3: Herb Regan, Bill Rixon, Goeff Howski, Mitch Roehl, Brian Roehl, Rex Roehl, Eric Peden, & Sean Derrig.

#### Tons of epic sponsorships and the team went to worlds. 2006



Row 1: Luke Fencl, Carl Firestone, Sam Schwartz, Jeremy Wolff, Michael Elman. Row 2: Mr. Ron Blanche, Mr. Matt Adams, Levie Basok, Max Bormes, William Rickson, Zach Ferlig, Lowrence Goldstein, Mr. Herb Regan. Row 3: Eric Jacobson, David Feldman, Casey Comisky, Dusty Bodine, Harrison Alch, Brian Roehl, Mr. Rex Roehl, Mr. Eric Feden, Michelle Roehl.

Below: Team 1525 (The Warbots) lines up for a shot while being pursued by Team 1213's robot.





Above: The Warbots Pit Booth, where the Warbots worked on their robot and showed off their robot to other teams.

The Barn Door's Open...

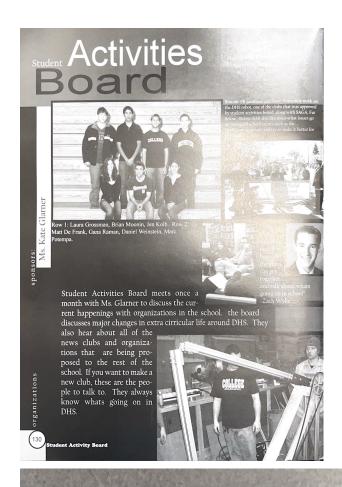
## Robotics

Below: The Warbots teammembers work on their robot between matches in the FIRST Midwest Regional

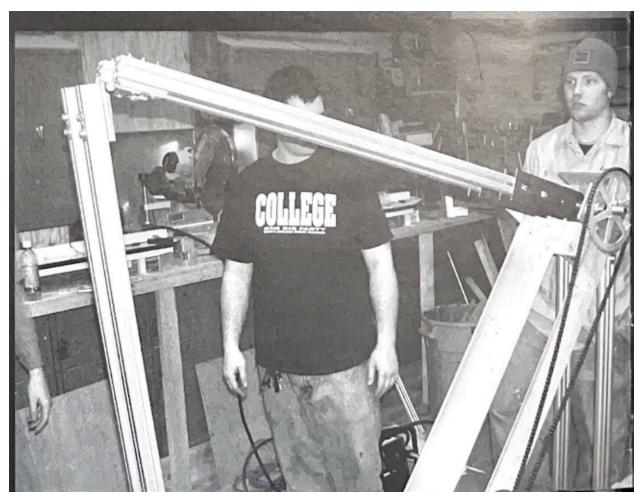


Robotics, called Warbots, is a newer organization at Deerfield High School, From its start, it has competed in two FIRST (For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology) Midwest Regionals, and reached the final rounds of both competitions. Through problem-solving and hard work, they were able to design and build their robot in six weeks. The competition this year was to shoot balls through either a corner, or top goal, to score points in a game much like a combination of basketball and soccer. Though many different people were on the team, the uniting sense of purpose, and devotion that teammates showed to each other, present just how important the competition is.

ponsors: Mr. Herb Regan, Mr. Matt Adams, Mr. Eric Peden Ar. Rex Roehl, Mr. Ron Blanche First time robotics club has its own yearbook page 2005:



Bottom: Eli Jacobson and Steve Normandy work on the DHS robot, one of the clubs that was approved by student activities board, along with SAGA, Far Below. Below: SAB also discusses what issues go on during all school events such as the Homecoming parade and try to make it better for next year.



Possibly the first mention of Robotics ever recorded.. 2004(4 years before 2008)

Nothing:

There is no mention of robotics in O\*YAD or Deerprints.

I could not find anything in print, but I might be able to write a bit down.