



**19th Annual**

OXFORD INVITATIONAL YOUTH  
**ROBOTICS**  
CHALLENGE

*November 19, 2026*

**Goff Hall**

381 Finkle St., Woodstock, ON

[oxfordroboticschallenge.com](http://oxfordroboticschallenge.com)



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# About Oxford Invitational Youth Robotics Challenge



**Oxford Invitational Youth Robotics Challenge** is a community-based partnership founded in 2005 to give youth a free, hands-on experience in design, construction and team problem solving by building and programming a robot for an industrial-type task. Through this exciting project students are encouraged to explore the many rewarding careers available today with manufacturing companies in Oxford County and the surrounding area. The competition is open to 20 teams representing our local public schools. In previous years we have had close to 200 participants in the program.

## Our Goals

- To give youth **hands-on experience** in design, construction and team problem solving by building and programming a robot for an industry modeled task
- To expose youth to **innovative technology** and to test their interests and abilities
- To connect youth with a **mentor** (upon availability) from the manufacturing industry to provide valuable experience, learning about real world scenarios, problem solving and team building skills

# About the Organizing Committee

The organizing committee comprises individuals from local organizations that are passionate about our community providing youth opportunities to thrive. This event comes together due to the dedication and hard work of a small group of individuals from:

**City of Woodstock, Economic Development**

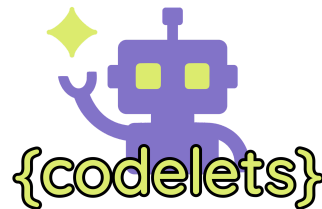
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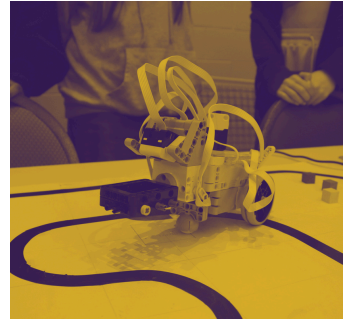
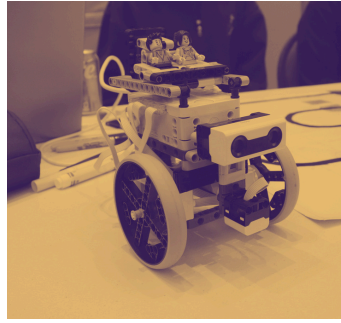
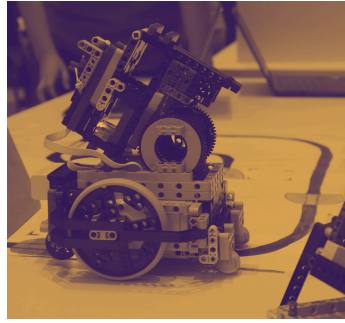
## Why Sponsor?

Sponsoring the **OIYRC** event offers more than visibility—it's a way to invest in the future of our region's workforce. Your support gives students the opportunity to enter into the world of STEM in a competitive but friendly environment.

The program costs \$30,000 to run for 20 teams, we need community support to ensure we can continue to support our schools and youth at no cost to them. We need your support to provide experiential learning opportunities to inspire students to pursue a career in STEM.

Sponsoring the **Oxford Invitational Youth Robotics Challenge** provides a unique opportunity to:

- Showcase your company and **inspire** local students.
- Provide a **STEM** based extra curricular option for close to 200 students in our region
- Provide a **free** activity for youth with free resources for our local schools



**Platinum**

**Gold**

**Silver**

**Bronze**

**Team**

**\$5,000**

**\$3,000**

**\$2,000**

**\$1,000**

**\$500**

Logo on website



Featured

Opportunity to speak at the competition ceremonies



Recognition at the competition ceremonies



Booth space at the competition



Poster or banner displayed at the event



# Next Steps



If you have any questions about the sponsorship package or would like to explore opportunities for making a financial contribution to support the **Oxford Invitational Youth Robotics Challenge** event, we encourage you to reach out.

For more information or to discuss potential sponsorship options, please contact Jane Kempe at [jane@workforcedevelopment.ca](mailto:jane@workforcedevelopment.ca).

We look forward to partnering with you to make a meaningful impact!



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