



# FLL Challenge / FLL Explore 2024-25 Team Blast 001



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## Welcome Back!!!

Welcome to the 2024-25 FIRST Submerged Season. We are working to firm up all the tiny details. We do not have access to all the details until after the season launch on **Aug. 6, 2024 at 12 Noon**!!!! I originally thought it was a noon then saw a site that said 1800 hours, but realized I was incorrect about being incorrect. I have looked all over the place for an official kickoff but all that will happen is the information links (below) will be updated. The best place to start is the "[FLL Seasons Page](#)." There other place is the "[FLL Resources Page](#)". These have some of the same information but other exclusive pages.

We have updated the Events Schedule but still have a few TBD, stay tuned!!! We will get the info pages all updated on Aug. 6 (after 6 PM) and then we will have up to date information by the next day. Please check out our website for the events list, testing of the registration system and other specific program information.

[FMA-FLL Teams Distribution](#) (new)

[Explore Team Info](#)

[Challenge Team Info](#)

[NJ-North Calendar](#)

[PA-East Calendar](#)

## Check the Website

Please check out the team info pages for subject expert panels and coach training. The Registration and Participation Guide is 97% ready but still under review. We will get that out as soon as possible.

## [RoboCon \(Training / Education\)](#)

Check out the training available to your team. You must sign up for the 90-minute training sessions. Click the above link to see the Event. Note: On some browsers you may have to look up the event in the topics.

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## Test Event Registration

On Mid-Sept. 2024 we will open the FMA-FLL Event Registration Google form will open for testing only. You can access it directly from any official RQT or Festival event you want to attend by going to the calendars. Please try to register your team during this test time so you can be sure of the process. Registration Testing will end on October 6.

## Official Event Registration

Official Event Registration for Regional Qualifying Tournaments (RTQs) and Explore Festivals will open on Monday October 14 at 7:30 PM. Please check out the regional calendars for the events you can attend. **As a reminder teams can only participate in their own regions.**

## VERY IMPORTANT !!!! - Check Your Team Information in the FIRST Database

For all the team Coaches, Assistant Coaches and Administrators, please verify your information in your team entries in the FIRST Dashboard (Mentor Registration) System. You need to make sure your emails and your phone numbers are correct. If any of the positions have changed, please update the database to reflect the changes. **We cannot change any of the data!**

You can access the Team database by going to <https://firstinspires.org> and then logging in. If you need help making changes, please contact FIRST at **(603) 666-3906** or **(800) 871-8326** and ask for FIRST Lego League Team support.

Many thanks, let's see if we can all make this a great season.

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