

**Team 6643**

# Team Newsletter

January 27, 2018

Build Season Week Three

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## Introduction

The team will continue to make progress towards a great deal of objectives, including the completion of the robot, strategizing, the Chairman's Award, safety training, and more!

# Committee Updates

## Construction:

Construction has had quite a bit of success this past week. A large portion of the robot planning is complete. With the help of Brandon Georgi, we have been able to start making the pieces for our cube mechanism. Construction is waiting on an order from Andymark, but once it comes in, the robot should be driving.

## Drive Team:

The drive team has been working with construction to plan this years robot. Driving practice should start as soon as this week!

## Scouting:

Scouting has continued to collaborate with other committees, accomplishing a variety of tasks including strategizing, media creation, and other goals.

## Communications:

The Communications committee continues to work on documenting the team's work during build season, as well as producing the team's weekly newsletter. Communications will be using its resources in collaboration with the Chairman's Award special committee to create a team video.

## Safety:

Safety has continued certifying team members in basic level safety. Remember that ALL team members **MUST** be certified in basic level safety in order to even be in the general lab area! Study and review materials are available in the Google Drive folder. See Safety Captain Paige Allen to take the test.



#### Records:

Records has begun certifying team members in inventory proficiency this week. The tests will still be available this week. Please come and get certified!

#### Aesthetics:

Aesthetics has completed the team's 8-bit style logo for this year's competition theme. It is available for viewing and usage in the Google Drive. Aesthetics has also begun the creation of 200 Team 6643 buttons for distribution at the competition this year.

#### Chairman's Award:

The Chairman's Award Special Committee is making fast progress towards the completion of the video aspect of the team's application. A storyboard has been created, and the interview segments are scheduled to begin filming by Monday (1/29). The Chairman's Award Special Committee has also decided on the general theme of "Pac-Man" for the application this year.



## This Week's Schedule

Monday, January 29th	Meeting until 4:15
Tuesday, January 30th	Meeting until 4:15
Wednesday, January 31st	Meeting until 4:15
Thursday, February 1st	Meeting until 4:15
Friday, February 2nd	Meeting until 4:15

More information is always available on our website: [team6634.org](http://team6634.org)

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