

# CITRUS CIRCUITS

## NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER

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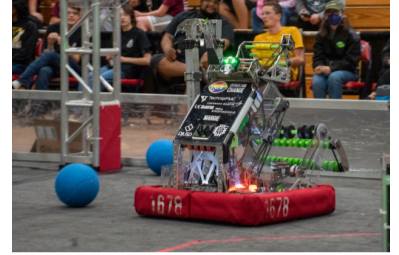
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### 2022 CAPITAL CITY CLASSIC

From October 15 to 16, Citrus Circuits co-hosted the 2022 Capital City Classic tournament with teams 2073 EagleForce and 3859 Wolfpack Robotics. Held at Pleasant Grove High School in Elk Grove, Capital City Classic is a yearly off-season tournament 1678 co-hosts and competes in. We went undefeated throughout the qualification matches and elimination rounds. With our alliance partners 5940 BREAD, 5430 Pirate Robolution, and 4698 Raider Robotics, Citrus Circuits took the final win with a score of 160 to 128. This successful event wouldn't have been possible without the help of our student and parent volunteers.



### FALL WORKSHOPS

Capital City Classic offered us the opportunity to hold our annual Fall Workshops for the FIRST community. At Capital City Classic, 1678 brings together experienced presenters to provide their insight and advice to FRC teams both in-person and online. It was divided into 16 panels throughout three sessions. These workshops covered a wide range of topics including mechanical design, robot programming, machining/prototyping, fundraising, scouting development, public relations, leadership, and strategy. Students and mentors from 35 teams attended the workshops.

### OUR LAST OFFSEASON COMPETITION



Citrus Circuits ended our last competition of 2022 Rapid React with MadTown Throwdown, hosted by 1313 MadTown Robotics. This year, we have brought 5 robots to Madtown Throwdown, the first time ever in the FRC history. Citrus Circuits won the event with our competition robot, Margie, along with Team 1323 Madtown Robotics

and 841 The Biomechs. Additionally, our 1796 clone, Epsilon, and Alpha bots all competed in the quarterfinals. Throughout the season, all of our unforgettable moments were possible thanks to our many alliance partners, mentors, members, and parent volunteers. Most of all, this was the last run for our robot Margie, who has been absolutely outstanding for the whole season. Margie will be in our hearts forever.

### DYR SCRIMMAGE

For the second year, Citrus Circuits hosted a successful DYR Scrimmage in the Davis Senior High south gym. A total of 32 teams attended the first DYR Scrimmage of this year on October 22. The purpose of the scrimmage was to give DYR league teams the opportunity to check their progress, observe other team's levels, and gain experience on how the game works at tournaments. With this event, DYR teams could experience what it's like to participate in a real tournament, which is coming soon! Our student volunteers ran the event.

### ZOMBIE BIKE RIDE ROBOT DEMO


Trick or Treat! On October 30, we celebrated Halloween by hosting a Robot Demo. as part of the city-sponsored Zombie Bike Ride, where members of Citrus Circuits decorated themselves with customized ripped team shirts and blood make-up. Approximately 200 people came by to enjoy our robot demonstration, which included fun ball games with our robot. During the event, visitors included the mayor of Davis who stopped by to take a group photo.



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