

Loggerbots Take Second at Robotics Regionals

The Vernonia Loggerbots advanced all the way to the finals at the Oregon FIRST Robotics District competition March 26-28, and ended up second place overall.

The Loggerbots competed against thirty-two teams overall, including teams from Portland, Seattle, Eugene, Corvallis, Ashland, Vancouver, Grants Pass, and Klamath Falls. Also at the competition was the team from Blachly,

OR where former Vernonia instructor James Brookins is now Superintendent. Brookins was instrumental in originally forming the Vernonia Robotics program.

At the end of the opening rounds of competition the Loggerbots were ranked 20th but were selected by one of the top six teams to be part of an alliance that advanced and won in the quarterfinals and semifinals.

*Left to right:
Conner Larke,
Benjamin Skanes,
former Robotics
instructor
James Brookins,
Nick Rainbolt and
Jeffrey Goodman.*



Boosters Buzz

Spring sports are underway for the season. Baseball has 8 teams this year including 4 t-ball teams. Players under Vernonia Baseball/Booster Baseball are ages 4-14. Softball has 4 teams this year ranging in ages 6-14. We want to thank all of our coaches, sport boards and many volunteers that keep these programs in our community! A special thank you goes out to our t-ball sponsors this season: R & S Market, Wauna Credit Union, The Free-wheelers and West Oregon Electric! A big thank you also goes out to Harve Dethlefs and Bighorn Logging for their continued support to our baseball program!

Our regular Booster meetings are held the 2nd Wednesday of each month. Meetings are held in the school library at 7:00 PM. Meetings are open to the public and are a great way to get involved in youth athletics in Vernonia. We are currently seeking Booster board members. Please attend our next meeting for more details. Boosters currently supports Little Guy Football, youth soccer, girls and boys youth basketball, youth softball, t-ball, youth baseball and Echoing Evergreens day camp. Boosters also support middle and high school athletics and offer graduating seniors scholarships. **Next Booster meeting is April 8th.**

VHS Equestrian Team Results

The Vernonia Equestrian Team competed in their second meet of the season during the weekend of March 19-22. Two team members have already qualified for State: Sheyanne Pedersen in Roping and Kassidy Fetch in Figure 8. The team's next

meet is April 9-12. Saturday, April 11 is senior night when the team will recognize graduating senior Makayla McCord.

Top 10 March Meet Results:

Keyhole:
4th - Makayla McCord
5th - Kassidy Fetch
Barrels:
3rd - Kassidy Fetch
Individual Flags:
10th - Lauren Glass
Poles:
5th - Makayla McCord

6th - Sheyanne Pedersen
Birangle:
10th - Makayla McCord/
Sheyanne Pedersen
Figure 8:
2nd - Kassidy Fetch
Freestyle Fours:
5th - Jordon McCord/M.
McCord/K. Fetch/L. Glass
Working Rancher:
5th - Sheyanne Pedersen

Breakaway Roping:
1st - Sheyanne Pedersen
Steer Daubing:
3rd - Sheyanne Pedersen
8th - Jordan Brickley
Team Penning:
5th - J. Brickley/
L. Glass/M. McCord
6th - K. Fetch/P. Cook/
S. Pedersen



Kassidy Fetch

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