



UNH

By Sophia S.

The event, UNH, is hosted annually at the University of New Hampshire hockey rink. In the weeks leading up to the event, we added a whole new subsystem, the climber. The climber is able to hoist over 100 lb. robot into the air in a small rectangular cage. This cage is dangling by a chain that is only 3.5 inches off the ground. This is quite significant because this is a difficult task not only to build, but to code as well. But, both subteams worked together and worked hard to bring this idea to life, and on the field at UNH. This extension is rewarded with 12 points in the endgame.

Throughout the UNH event, we played hard and got far. Even though there were a few trips, and mishaps, we managed to persevere and fix the problems and push on. We showed lots of team spirit, always cheering on our team and teammates. By the end of qualifications, our rank was twelve, and were picked for elimination matches by the fifth ranked team, 4909, bionics. This made us the third alliance, and then we picked 1922, Ozram. We won two of our Elimination matches, then lost to the winning team and dropped to the lower bracket.

Overall, this event was a success, but harder than our previous event at Greater Boston at Revere. Even though this event was tougher, that didn't diminish our spirit or perseverance. Due to our hard work so far this season, we will be going to the District Champions in Springfield Massachusetts, which we are so excited and honored to attend.





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Salem Firefighters Relief Association

By Carson R.

The Firefighters Relief Association is one of our newest sponsors coming on for the 2025 FRC season. They have been a huge supporter being one of our platinum sponsors. And we hope to continue our partnership with them in the future. Thank you Salem Firefighters Relief Association.

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Greater Boston

By Logan B.

Greater Boston is an event held at Revere High School March 7th- March 9th, and run by Team 125, NUTRONS. A total of 38 teams attended this event. We loaded our robot in and set up our pit on Friday. The morning after, our top Impact subteam members got dressed up nice for their Impact Award interview. After that the qualification matches began. Out of the 76 qualification matches held, and won 5 out of the 7 matches we played. With our amazing team spirit, we were able to secure our spot as 11th out of the 38 teams. Then, came the alliance selection for the playoff matches. After the first alliance captain, Team 125, NUTRONS, picked Team 5813, Morpheus, it came time for the second alliance captain, Team 6201, The Highlanders, to choose their first pick. it turned out to be us. With high hopes and good spirits, we continued alliance selection, adding Team 8626 as our second pick for our alliance. Now came the playoffs.

There were 13 playoff matches, and we played in the 3rd, 8th, and 11th, which we won all of. Match 11 was our alliance against the first alliance, who was a tough opponent to go up against. To our shock, we were able to beat the first alliance! After a quick break, we began the final matches for the playoffs. There were 3 matches to be held, with us yet again being pinned against the first alliance. In the first match, we fell to the first alliance, who all played a very good and fair game. And when the second match ended, the crowned winner of the Greater Boston event turned out to be the first alliance, with Teams 6201 (NEUTRONS), 5813 (Morpheus), and 175 (Buzz Robotics). Even though our team didn't win finals, we were still grateful to have successfully made it to finals.

Although we came in second place for finals, we successfully won the Industrial Design award, given to the team who's robot balances form and function. We were ecstatic to be presented with this award, ending our event with smiles on all our faces.

Granite State District

By Sophia S.

Every year, at the end of winter February in March, our team runs the NEFIRST Granite State District Event at SHS. Although we run this event, we do not compete as we need all hands on deck to make sure that everything runs smoothly and to the high standards we hold ourselves to. Granite State Districts is one of our largest fundraisers for the team, pulling in thousands of dollars to go to the upcoming events. Not only do our students cook the meals that we sell, but also sell snacks, sodas and meals at our concession stands. Our students not only sell concessions, but we also help set up the field, practice field and manage the machine shop for parts requests. Not only do our students pitch in, but we also have lots of volunteers to help out with everything.

"The event ran really smoothly, and I feel like everyone played their part in making this event worthwhile for the teams that decided to compete. I was especially happy to hear that people liked the personalities of our student volunteers."

-Gail B.



March Highlights!



Cake Pops!



Meeting Dean Kamen at GSD!

Alliance 2		Alliance 1	
9	LEAVE	9	
108	CONRAI	119	
24	ALGAE	16	
16	BARGE	6	
0	PENALTY	0	

Advances to: Final 1

Advances to: Lower Bracket - Round 5 - Match 13

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