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BridgeValley Community and Technical College to Host FIRST LEGO League Qualifying Tournament November 10

(South Charleston, WV) - BridgeValley Community and Technical College will host a FIRST LEGO League (FLL) Qualifying Tournament on Saturday, November 10 at the Advanced Technology Center in South Charleston.

Teams from around West Virginia will vie for the chance to compete in the First Lego League State Championship.

In addition to competing on the field with their programmed robot, teams of children ages 9 to 16 will be judged on their explanation of how they built and programmed their robot to achieve mission tasks (robot design), demonstration of teamwork and creative thinking (core values) and their project design as it pertains to this year's theme "INTO ORBIT."

Who: BridgeValley Community and Technical College

What: FIRST LEGO League Qualifying Tournament

When: Saturday, November 10 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Where: BridgeValley Advanced Technology Center, 1201 Science Park Drive, South Charleston, 25303

FIRST LEGO League challenges children to think like scientists and engineers by solving real-world problems within their projects. Student teams build, test and program autonomous robots using LEGO MINDSTORMS technology while demonstrating teamwork, professionalism and critical thinking.