

Minneapolis Dec 12 MN FIRST LEGO League 2009 Regional Award Winners -

Research Project Award - is presented to the team whose presentation of research and conclusion best reflect an in-depth understanding of the research project.

Winner Div 1: 9138 - E-2 #2

Winner Div 2: 7032 – Dangerous Muffins

Team Work Award – is presented to the team that best exemplifies the meaning of teamwork. This team will exhibit the qualities that are present when a team is well coached, and coach and team work well together. This award is determined via the interview in the presentation area.

Winner Div 1: 1074 – Wheelin Wonders

Winner Div 2: 9648 - Master Pieces

1st Place Performance Award- is presented to the team whose robot finishes 1st in the head to head rounds.

Winner Div 1: 7991 - Robot Squad

Winner Div 2: 3629 - Caveman 2.0

Technical awards (Design, programming and innovative design) are determined by the technical judges.

Design Award: is presented to the team whose understanding and application of sound mechanical principles produces the most solid, predictable, and dependable design.

Winner Div 1: 1242 - Bot Bashers

Winner Div 2: 5874 - StormBots

Innovative Design Award: - is presented to the team best demonstrating its ability to use a creative design, component, or unique strategy of play for the most original approach to solving the *Challenge* Missions.

Winner Div 1: 3194 – Demo Bots

Winner Div 2: 3366 - Panthers

Programming Award: is presented to the team best demonstrating an in-depth understanding of sound programming principles and applications for unique or exceptional execution of the *Challenge* Missions.

Winner Div 1: 7991 – Robot Squad

Winner Div 2: 3629 - Caveman 2.0

Judges' Award-

Judges' award is presented at the discretion of the judges to award special or unique solutions or teams. It is not by division,

Winner: 9294 - Sanford 1

Winner: 9957 - Crucifixion

Team Spirit Award - is presented to the team best demonstrating the spirit of FLL by extraordinary enthusiasm and spirit both within their own team and in their support and encouragement of fellow teams.

Winner: 10391 - Lightning

Winner: 8842 - Short Circuit

Teams Advancing to State

Div 1:

1. 7991 – Robot Squad
2. 1242 – Bot Bashers
3. 3194 – Demo Bots
4. 9138 - E-2 #2

Div 2:

1. 3629 - Caveman 2.0
2. 5874 – Storm Bots
3. 7032 – Dangerous Muffins
4. 10061 – Mighty Boron