



**NM FLL Socorro Qualifier – December 3, 2016
Champion's Award**

The **Champion's Award** recipient is the total package – the embodiment of the *FIRST* LEGO League vision. The Champion's Award encompasses – Robot Design, Robot Performance, Project, and Core Values.

This award recognizes a team that demonstrates the entirety of the FLL experience, by fully embracing our Core Values while achieving excellence and innovation in both the Robot Game and Project. The FLL experience is more than building robots or attending competitions. It begins with the robot, but most importantly, it is defined by how the children unite to form a team. The program impacts each of them as individuals and as team members.

| Award | Team # | Team Name | Citation |
|-------------------------|---------------|------------------|--|
| Champion's Award | 5203 | Brick Force | <i>This 7-member team knows how to have fun. The team's robot is named "wookie".</i> |

Advancing Teams (in team # order)

| Team # | Team Name |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 5203 | Brick Force |
| 5205 | Funky Socks Bots |
| 5499 | Florida Mesa |
| 7683 | Knight Bots |
| 8263 | Roxie Rockers |
| 27326 | Paradox Cougars |
| 28897 | La Plata 4-H |
| 29378 | Bayfield Elementary |



Core Values Awards

The FLL Core Values are the cornerstones of the FLL program. They are among the fundamental elements that distinguish FLL from other programs of its kind. FIRST LEGO League presents this award to the team that best demonstrates extraordinary enthusiasm and spirit, inspiration, exceptional partnership, and the utmost respect to its own teammates and in its support and encouragement of fellow teams.

| Award | Team # | Team Name | Citation |
|----------------------------|--------|---------------|--------------------------|
| Core Values - First place | 8263 | Roxie Rockers | <citation not available> |
| Core Values - Second place | 7683 | Knight Bots | <citation not available> |

Robot Awards

As **Robot Design** Judges, we look for teams whose design work stands out for innovation, mechanical design, programming, understanding the design process, and . . . overall quality.

| Award | Team # | Team Name | Citation |
|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------|---|
| Robot Design - First place | 19647 | Roborunners | <i>We don't know if this team colors inside the line, but they follow it well. Their team color is blue. They hail from Shiprock.</i> |
| Robot Design - Second place | 28897 | La Plata County 4-H | <i>This team has 5 members. Their robot has only 2 wheels. They like the color orange.</i> |

The **Robot Performance** award recognizes a team whose robot scores the most points during the Robot Game. Teams had the chance to compete in three 2.5-minute matches and their highest score counts.

| Award | Team # | Team Name | Score |
|-------------------|--------|-------------|-------|
| Robot Performance | 5203 | Brick Force | 124 |



Project Awards

The purpose of the Project is to show that individuals can make a difference by researching a problem, then contributing ideas and solutions to real-world issues. Conclusions and solutions are the result of working hard to understand the magnitude of a problem through research and hands-on learning experiences.

| Award | Team # | Team Name | Citation |
|------------------------|--------|-----------------|--|
| Project - First place | 5208 | Rebels | <i>This team is a bunch of goof balls, who bring together the essence of solving problems with both humans and animals. It takes a village to raise these home-schooled gems.</i> |
| Project - Second place | 27236 | Paradox Cougars | <i>In second place is a team that comes from a small community. They practically brought their entire school with them. If any of you didn't finish your lunch, we know who to give it to just make sure you remove any packaging.</i> |

Global Innovation Candidates

The Global Innovation Award, presented by XPRISE®, encourages teams to expand their innovative solutions to real-world problems. It builds upon the work teams have done for the FLL Project.

| Award | Team # | Team Name | Project Idea |
|----------------------------------|--------|---------------|------------------------------|
| Four Corners Qualifier Candidate | 8263 | Roxie Rockers | <project idea not available> |
| Four Corners Qualifier Alternate | 5205 | Brick Force | |
| Four Corners Qualifier Alternate | 5208 | Rebels | |

Judges' Award

During the course of competition, the Judges may encounter teams whose unique efforts, performance or dynamics merit recognition. Some teams have a story that sets them apart in a noteworthy way. Sometimes a team is so close to winning an award that the Judges choose to give special recognition to the team. Judges Awards allow Judges the freedom to recognize remarkable teams that stand out for reasons other than the Core Awards categories.

| Award | Team # | Team Name | Citation |
|-------------------|--------|---------------|--|
| Against All Odds | 22669 | Naturita | <i>This team knows the value of teamwork. They are excellent at last-minute programming. Every member can say, "I helped".</i> |
| Robo Spirit Award | 26043 | Robo Warriors | <i>They're a first-year team. The 5 boys and one girl are dressed in blue shirts.</i> |