

Youth Protection Program Registration

OVERVIEW

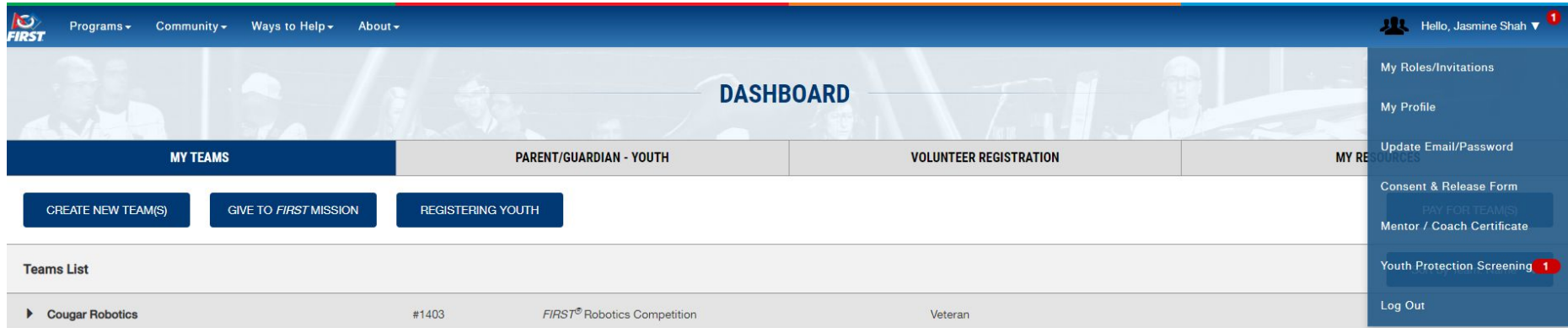
This resource will discuss Youth Protection Program screening and YPP's resources for students and parents. YPP screening is required in the US and Canada.

We'll show you how to:

1. [How to get screened by YPP](#)
2. [How to find useful resources through YPP](#)

Part 1:

YPP screening



The screenshot shows a dashboard for a user named Jasmine Shah. The top navigation bar includes 'FIRST', 'Programs', 'Community', 'Ways to Help', and 'About'. The main header area is titled 'DASHBOARD' and features four tabs: 'MY TEAMS', 'PARENT/GUARDIAN - YOUTH', 'VOLUNTEER REGISTRATION', and 'MY RESOURCES'. Below the 'MY TEAMS' tab, there are three buttons: 'CREATE NEW TEAM(S)', 'GIVE TO FIRST MISSION', and 'REGISTERING YOUTH'. A 'Teams List' section displays a table with one entry: 'Cougar Robotics' (team #1403) for the 'FIRST® Robotics Competition' in the 'Veteran' category. On the right side, a user profile dropdown menu is open, showing options like 'My Roles/Invitations', 'My Profile', 'Update Email/Password', 'Consent & Release Form', 'PAY FOR TEAMS', 'Mentor / Coach Certificate', 'Youth Protection Screening' (with a red notification badge '1'), and 'Log Out'.

To start the screening process, the team’s head mentor must request a screening for you. Talk to your team’s mentor to get this started.

After this is done, you will see a notification on the “Youth Protection Screening” tab. Click on this to continue.

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Youth Protection Screening

Jasmine Shah

You have been assigned a role that required you to pass a background screening process as part of the Youth Protection Program at FIRST®.

This screening is conducted by an outside vendor in partnership with FIRST®. You will be required to create an account on their site. FIRST® does not obtain or have access to the information you provide and only obtains and saves the status of the screening. You will be able to check the status of your screening at any time by either logging into your account with FIRST®

Once your information has been submitted, the screening process can take up to 5 business days, however is commonly completed within two business days.

1

Verified Volunteers

The Go To Screening Partner button will bring you to FIRST's account on the Verified Volunteers Website.

2

Complete Required Steps

Complete the required steps. Social Security Number (SSN) is optional. Check the box next to "No SSN" to proceed without sharing your SSN.

3

Check your Email

You will receive two emails from Verified Volunteers. The first email will confirm that they have received your order and a second email will notify you that the background screening report is complete and available for your review.

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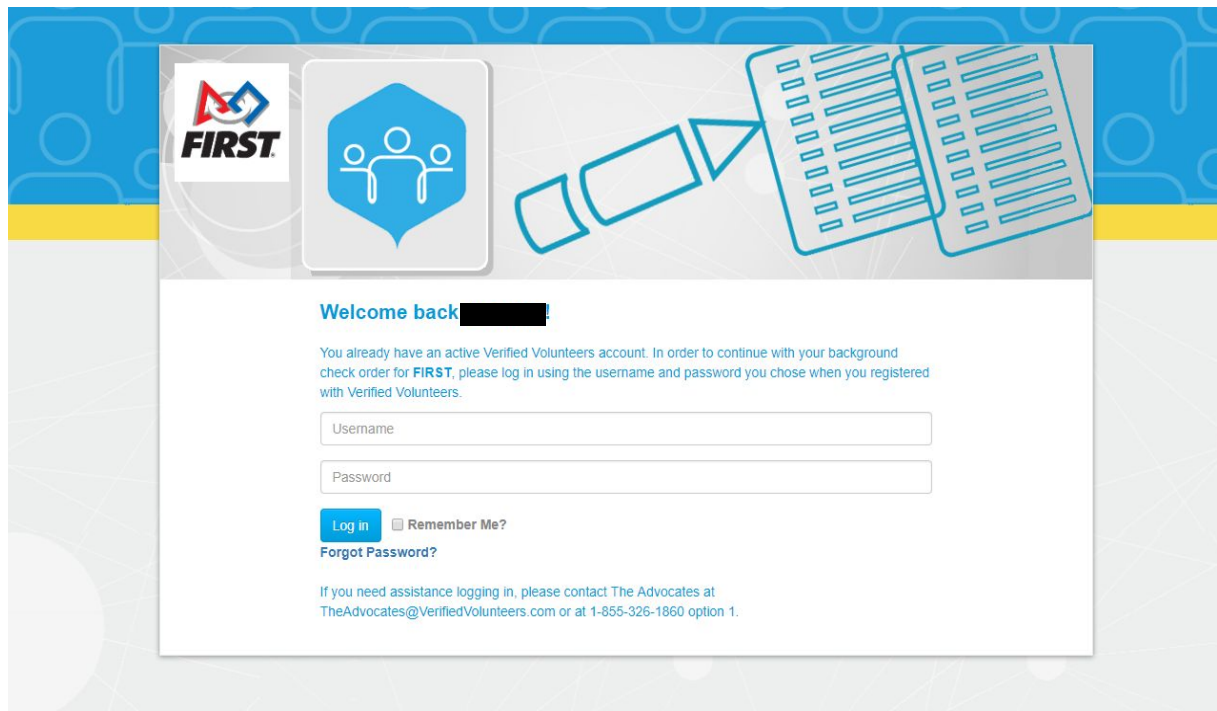
Return to FIRST®

Come back to the FIRST® website to complete your other tasks.

[SKIP FOR NOW](#)

[GO TO SCREENING PARTNER](#)

Next, click on “Go To Screening Partner” to continue with the screening process.



Welcome back [REDACTED]

You already have an active Verified Volunteers account. In order to continue with your background check order for **FIRST**, please log in using the username and password you chose when you registered with Verified Volunteers.

Username

Password

Log in Remember Me?

[Forgot Password?](#)

If you need assistance logging in, please contact The Advocates at TheAdvocates@VerifiedVolunteers.com or at 1-855-326-1860 option 1.

At this point, the Verified Volunteers portal will ask you to create a new account. If you already have an account with Verified Volunteers, (as shown above), it will ask you to sign in to continue. Follow the specific prompts through this portal to get screened. They will ask for some personal information, but it will stay secure.

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Tim Leicht

You have already submitted a screening request. The current status is displayed below.

Once your information has been submitted, the screening process can take up to 5 business days but is commonly completed within two.

FIRST® does not obtain or have access to this information. *FIRST®* only obtains and saves the status of the screening which you can check back here to view at any time.

Youth Protection Training available from SCHOOLGY

Use Course Access Code: [REDACTED]


[Click here to login or create an account!](#)

Youth Protection Program Status: Passed

Expiration Date: April 30, 2020

After you are verified through the Verified Volunteers portal, your status will change to “Passed.” There are more training resources available through Schoology.

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Here you can sign up for a Schoolology account. NOTE: this is not required for screening, but it provides more resources to learn about the Youth Protection Program.

Part 2:

YPP Resources

What is YPP?

You now have access to all of the YPP library:

- A number of useful resources for students and parents
- Committed to ensuring the safety of all youth in *FIRST* robotics
- www.firstinspires.org/resource-library/youth-protection-policy

Resources

- Now that you've been officially screened, there are a number of useful forms and resources that you should be familiar with.
- [This](#) page has forms for various safety incidents and can be used to file injury reports or events.
- There are also videos for students, parents, and mentors to understand the Youth Protection Program.

Additional Questions?

Please contact Team Support at (800) 871-8326 or send an email to firstroboticscompetition@firstinspires.org.

About The Compass Alliance

The Compass Alliance was founded by 10 teams from around the world with the mission of helping *FIRST* Robotics Competition teams sustain and grow. A growing Resource Repository, and 24/7 Call Center give anyone of any skill level the tools to learn something new or learn more from anywhere in the world. Remote teams lacking mentors can sign up for a Tag Team to be their remote guide throughout the season, and Help Hubs pinpoint where to gain access to local services other *FIRST* teams offer. Hear For You provides the resources and tools to help teams and volunteers develop mental wellness on their teams and at events. You can learn more about The Compass Alliance, find quality assistance, and get involved at www.thecompassalliance.org

About This Resource

This resource was prepared by The Compass Alliance, with the support and overview of *FIRST*. If you have questions about this resource, please contact thecompassalliance@gmail.com or firstroboticscompetition@firstinspires.org

Revision History

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