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**CHARLOTTE ROBOTICS TEAMS HEAD TO STATE CHAMPIONSHIP!**

Congratulations to Mr. Lee and the Charlotte Middle School robotics team for a very successful 2016-2017 season. In total this year, Charlotte Middle School and Charlotte Upper Elementary had 15 teams with over 60 students participating in competitive robotics. Mr. Lee and his students spend countless hours each season preparing and honing their robotic designs during practice and competitions from October through February. A specific congratulations goes out to the three teams that qualified for the Vex IQ state championships later this month (see picture, from top to bottom). They are as follows:

Julianne L., Lina H., and Jade F. (Team 14582N)

Evan W., Tyler L., and Alex H. (Team 14582A)

Brayden S. and Zachary H. (Team 14582M)

We are also proud to announce that Charlotte Middle School and Charlotte Upper Elementary will be hosting the Vex IQ State Championships this year. Come out and support our Charlotte Upper Elementary and Charlotte Middle School teams on Saturday, February 25th and Sunday, February 26th right here at Charlotte Middle School. If you have students who are interested in Robotics or STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics), this would be a great opportunity for you. For more information, please contact Charlotte Middle School at 517-541-5700. Go Orioles! Oriole Pride!

