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CUTOUTS FROM MAIN SHOW	01:00:00	<u>MUSIC IN</u>
GRAPHICS <i>Robotica</i> <i>Robots Ready</i> <i>Speedway</i> <i>Maze</i> <i>Gauntlet</i> <i>Fight To The Finish</i> <i>Robotica</i> <i>TLC</i> <i>Life Unscripted</i>	01:00:02	MALE ANNOUNCER VO Robots ready!
	01:00:04	AHMET ZAPPA VO/OC Start your motors. Let's Robotica out!
	01:00:07	JASON BARDIS OC Yeah!
	01:00:12	TANYA MEMME OC Are you ready?
	01:00:14	AHMET ZAPPA OC Let's do it!
WS PANNING AUDIENCE & ARENA	01:00:32	SFX Crowd Cheering
MS AHMET & TANIKA	01:00:40	AHMET ZAPPA OC Welcome to Robotica, a technical tournament of electronic proportions. I'm Ahmet Zappa, and with me is the ever-talented and ever-beautiful Tanika Ray.
GRAPHICS <i>Ahmet Zappa Tanika Ray</i>	01:00:49	TANIKA RAY OC Thank you. Thanks, Ahmet. Tonight our four bots will face off two at a time taking on three daring challenges that would scare away even the mightiest of mortals.
WS SPEEDWAY	01:00:58	AHMET ZAPPA VO First up, the Speedway. Figure Eight race that puts their speed and agility to the test.
WS MAZE	01:01:03	AHMET ZAPPA VO Then, it's the Maze. A nasty obstacle course where maneuverability is the key.
WS GAUNTLET	01:01:07	AHMET ZAPPA VO

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		Next, it's the Gauntlet. A drag race where power prevails.
VARIOUS MS CREWS WORKING ON ROBOTS WS ARENA	01:01:12	AHMET ZAPPA VO Between competitions, robots can be repaired and or modified to help them adapt to the next event. The two bots, with the most points at the end of three events, will get it on in the gladiator style Fight to the Finish.
MS AHMET & TANIKA	01:01:22	AHMET ZAPPA OC Let's go down to the arena floor, and check in with Tanya Memme.
MS TANYA MS PANNING AUDIENCE GRAPHICS <i>Tanya Memme</i>	01:01:27 01:01:33 01:01:35	TANYA MEMME OC Whooh! The lights are low, the stage is set and the mood is right! Whooh! SFX Crowd Cheering TANYA MEMME VO/OC The robots are in the arena and ready to battle. Back to you, Ahmet.
WS AUDIENCE MS AHMET & TANIK A WS ARENA PAN RIGHT MS SILVER TEAM PAN LEFT MS GOLD TEAM GRAPHICS <i>Chuck McManis</i> <i>Silver Team</i> <i>Jason Bardis</i> <i>Gold Team</i>	01:01:43	AHMET ZAPPA OC All right. Let's meet our competitors. Representing the Silver Team from Northern California, Chuck McManis! Chuck is a software designer and president of the Home Guru Robotics Tour. And from the Gold Team, his challenger from Santa Barbara, California, he's a Ph.D. candidate doing research with the FAA, Jason Bardis!
MS AHMET	01:02:03	AHMET ZAPPA OC And now, entering the arena representing the Silver Team, his scoop and serrated edges are designed to cause massive pain. But you'll certainly need medical attention if you get stung

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		by this Killer B!
WS ARENA MS KILLER B ENTERING ARENA	01:02:17	SFX Crowd Cheering
GRAPHICS <i>Name: Killer B</i> <i>Weight: 179 Lbs.</i> <i>Weapons: Scoop and Wedge</i> <i>Design Feature: Can Operate Upside Down</i>	01:02:29	TANIKA RAY VO Killer B, weighing in at 179 pounds. His weapons consist of a scoop and a wedge. And his design feature, he can operate upside down.
MA AHMET MS MINI INFERNO ENTERING ARENA	01:02:42	AHMET ZAPPA OC And his opponent from the Gold Team. Enter this building at your own risk because his steel rod will ram you, and his savage spike will tear you apart! It's armed, and it's dangerous! Mini Inferno!
GRAPHICS <i>Name: Mini-Inferno</i> <i>Weight: 36 Lbs.</i> <i>Weapons: Scooping Wedge</i> <i>Design Feature: Carbon Fiber Composite</i>	01:02:55 01:03:04	SFX Crowd Cheering TANIKA RAY VO Mini Inferno, weighing in at a slight 36 pounds. His weapon, a scooping wedge. And his design feature, he's made of carbon fiber composite.
MS AHMET & TANIKA MS PANNING FIGURE EIGHT TRACK GRAPHICS <i>10 Points Per Lap</i> <i>1st Robot with 8 laps wins – or – ahead at 2:00</i>	01:03:18 01:03:32 01:03:41	AHMET ZAPPA OC This first event is the Speedway. Each robot will race in opposite directions around a treacherous figure eight track. Every lap is worth ten points. Now, as the robots cross paths, they're allowed to engage in a little robot rumble. Great! TANIKA RAY VO/OC Yeah. The first robot to complete eight laps, or the robot to complete the most laps in two minutes will be declared the winner and earn an additional 20 bonus points. AHMET ZAPPA OC

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	01:03:42	I love the bonus points. TANIKA RAY OC That's right.
	01:03:42	AHMET ZAPPA OC Okay, challengers. Start your motors! Let's do this Robotica style! Whoa!
MS ROBOTS ON FIGURE EIGHT TRACK	01:03:51	AHMET ZAPPA VO An incredible size difference between these two robots, but so many factors go into winning this event that size may be the least of their worries.
WS POV CEILING SHOT OF FIGURE EIGHT TRACK VARIOUS MS ROBOTS	01:04:02	MALE ANNOUNCER VO Robots ready.
	01:04:03	SFX Buzzer
VARIOUS MS ROBOTS ON FIGURE EIGHT TRACK CU MALE CREW MEMBER GRAPHICS <obscured> <i>Mini Inferno 0</i> Time Code <i>Mini Inferno 1</i>	01:04:07	AHMET ZAPPA VO Mini Inferno is one fast little robot. As these two bots race towards each other, Killer B has got to try and slow Mini Inferno down. Oh, and he does! Mini Inferno blasts off. Killer B moving into scoring position and another big hit from Killer B. Mini Inferno recovers nicely though. Both bots putting laps on the board.
VARIOUS MS ROBOTS ON FIGURE EIGHT TRACK VARIOUS MS ROBOTS COLLIDING MS CREW MEMBERS MS MINI INFERNO UPSIDE DOWN GRAPHICS <obscured> <i>Mini Inferno 1</i> Time Code	01:04:34	AHMET ZAPPA VO Mini Inferno decides against taking another shot at Killer B, and puts some distance between them. Killer B puts another lap behind him. Good job. Confrontation is inevitable. Mini Inferno just trying to drive over Killer B. Good job. And it's Mini Inferno tying it up, two all. And here comes the big bot! Mini Inferno decides to play it safe, and hide out by the rail. Good decision. That's three for Killer B. And here they go again. Yaa, ha ha! Killer B knocks Mini Inferno way off

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<p><i>Mini Inferno 2</i> <i>Mini Inferno 3</i> <i>Mini Inferno 4</i></p>	<p>01:06:07 01:06:07</p>	<p>track! Mini Inferno seems to be a bit shaken by that last big hit. There's another lap for Killer B. Mini Inferno answers right back with a lap of his own. Killer B is reducing Mini Inferno to the rails there. Mini Inferno, getting a little hung up as Killer B puts his fifth lap on the board. Killer B no longer interested in taking on a penalty <inaudible> baby. And Mini Inferno scores again. Oh, over baby! The worst has happened! Mini Inferno goes over the top of Killer B and lands on his back. Mini Inferno just laying there. There's nothing he could do. Still lying there, Mini Inferno dead in the water.</p> <p>SFX Buzzer</p> <p>There's the buzzer! That'll do it.</p>
<p>MS KILLER B MS AHMET</p>	<p>01:06:12</p>	<p>AHMET ZAPPA VO/OC The winner is the demon stinger himself, Killer B.</p>
<p>CU VIEW OF SCORE SCREEN</p>	<p>01:06:16</p>	<p>AHMET ZAPPA VO Killer B goes around six times at ten points apiece, plus 20 for completing the most laps, giving him 80 points. And the mighty Mini Inferno, with four laps, gets 40.</p>
<p>MS AHMET</p>	<p>01:06:25</p>	<p>AHMET ZAPPA OC All right. Let's get some post-performance commentary from Tanya and Tanika!</p>
<p>MS TANIKA & SILVER TEAM MS MCMANIS MS REPLAY KILLER B ON FIGURE EIGHT TRACK MS ELLIE</p>	<p>01:06:30 01:06:33</p>	<p>TANIKA RAY OC You guys were speeding around that so fast. What was your strategy going into this?</p> <p>CHUCK MCMANIS OC Ah, keep, keep to the turns. Make, make smooth turns, and Mark was practicing this morning on the, on the track out there. It's good. Just go fast.</p>

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		Go fast.
	01:06:41	TANIKA RAY VO You guys got air!
	01:06:42	CHUCK MCMANIS VO Yes.
	01:06:43	TANIKA RAY VO They got major air! Did you know that was going to happen?
	01:06:46	ELLIE VO/OC Well, I knew that, if we ran into him, he would definitely do something.
	01:06:50	TANIKA RAY OC Oh, okay. What, are you guys going to make any modifications for the next round? You know it's the Maze.
	01:06:53	CHUCK MCMANIS OC We're going to run it upside down.
	01:06:55	TANIKA RAY OC Upside down?
	01:06:55	CHUCK MCMANIS OC Yep. It runs on the other side so it gets more ground clearance when it's on the other ways.
	01:06:58	TANIKA RAY OC I can't wait to see that.
	01:06:58	CHUCK MCMANIS OC A bi, a bi-modal robot.
	01:07:01	TANIKA RAY OC What is a bi-modal?
	01:07:02	CHUCK MCMANIS OC A bi-modal robot is one that works in two

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	01:07:05	different modes. TANIKA RAY VO Oh!
	01:07:05	CHUCK MCMANIS OC And so ours works upside down and right side up. And when it's upside down, you get more ground clearance. And when it's right side up, you get really low to the ground scoops.
MS TANIKA & SILVER TEAM	01:07:12	TANIKA RAY OC Congratulations and we'll see you in Maze.
	01:07:14	CHUCK MCMANIS OC Great.
MS TANYA & GOLD TEAM MS BARDIS MS REPLAY ROBOTS ON FIGURE EIGHT TRACK	01:07:15	TANYA MEMME OC They say good things come in small packages, and I think you did a great, great job.
	01:07:18	JASON BARDIS OC Yeah, it definitely was a David versus Goliath battle. But this wasn't a fight really. It was a race to get around faster, not to beat up the other robot. This little bot is pretty solid and pretty fast and pretty maneuverable.
	01:07:28	TANYA MEMME VO Okay. Well how did you feel when Killer B was whipping around the corner aiming right for little Mini Inferno? And Mini Inferno ended up flipping upside down a few times.
	01:07:35	JASON BARDIS VO/OC Well that was actually somewhat on purpose. I figured it would be worse to have him on top of us than go over end. And so we figured just go for broke, you know, shoot over him. And for the most part it tends to land on its wheels, for the most part.
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	01:07:47	TANYA MEMME VO/OC Okay. Good luck. JASON BARDIS VO Thanks.
MS AHMET WS ARENA ZOOM IN MS RED TEAM PAN LEFT MS RIENDEAU GRAPHICS <i>Mark Joerger</i> <i>Red Team</i> <i>Rich Riendeau</i> <i>Blue Team</i>	01:07:49	AHMET ZAPPA OC Okay, it's time to meet our next competitors. Representing the Red Team from Salem, Oregon, Mark Joerger. Mark is an avid racecar buff who also works for the Department of Transportation. And his challenger, representing the Blue Team from Daytona Beach, Florida. He's a computer consultant, Rich Riendeau.
MS AHMET & TANIKA MS RUN AMOK ENTERING ARENA	01:08:08	AHMET ZAPPA OC All right, you met the men. Now let's meet their machines. For the Red Team, it's Run Amok.
GRAPHICS <i>Name: Run Amok</i> <i>Weight: 161 Lbs.</i> <i>Weapons: Diamond Plate Wedge</i> <i>Design Feature: Automotive</i> <i>Steering</i>	01:08:21	TANIKA RAY VO Run Amok weighing in at 161 pounds. His weapon, a diamond plate wedge. And his design feature, he's equipped with automotive styled steering.
MS AHMET & TANIKA MS SPRING BREAKER ENTERING ARENA	01:08:32	AHMET ZAPPA OC And his opponent from the Blue Team, ladies and gentlemen, Spring Breaker!
GRAPHICS <i>Name: Spring Breaker</i> <i>Weight: 111 Lbs.</i> <i>Weapons: Angled Armor</i> <i>Design Feature: Custom Paint</i> <i>Job</i>	01:08:45	TANIKA RAY VO Spring Breaker, weighing in at 111 pounds. His weapon, angled armor. And his design feature, got to love the custom paint job.
MS AHMET WS POV CEILING SHOT SPRING BREAKER & RUN AMOK ON FIGURE	01:08:57	AHMET ZAPPA OC All right. You know the deal. Most laps in two minutes takes it. And knocking your opponent

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EIGHT TRACK		off the track, well, it's my kind of race. Ten points per lap, an additional 20 for the victor. May the best bot win. I know I'm ready. Are you ready? It's time to put the pedal to your metal! Robotica, baby!
<p>VARIOUS MS ROBOTS NEGOTIATING FIGURE EIGHT VARIOUS MS TEAMS OPERATING ROBOTS MS AUDIENCE</p> <p>GRAPHICS <obscured> <i>Spr. Breaker 0</i> Time Code</p>	<p>01:09:20</p> <p>01:09:21</p> <p>01:09:25</p>	<p>MALE ANNOUNCER VO Robots, ready.</p> <p>SFX Buzzer</p> <p>AHMET ZAPPA VO Run Amok is out early and fast. Spring Breaker, on the other hand, is hunting for worms around the guardrails. Run Amok makes it around the first half. It looks like he's using those guardrails for brakes. Spring Breaker has positioned himself directly behind Run Amok. Apparently, parallel parking wasn't on Mark Joerger's driving test. But he's free, he's free! He's going to ride the rail straight into a barrel. Looks like he may have gone out of bounds there. Spring Breaker seems a bit lost. Bots backing up trying to attempt a, get in the right direction. Run Amok hits the barrel. One more love tap for good measure. And one for the rail. All right. Run Amok puts the first points on the board. One lap down. It's Spring Breaker. It's a dead eagle. Dead in the water right there on the rail. Run Amok is trying to get the hang of this track. Still not much movement from Spring Breaker. There's Spring Breaker's brother, Rich Riendeau, looking a little frustrated with his bot's performance. And Run Amok puts another lap on the board. Good job. Run Amok is looking good, people! Spring Breaker breaks free. He's back in the race, slow poke. Run Amok hits Spring Breaker head on, baby! And he's not waiting to put another lap on the board. Sweet. But he does wait very cordially, I might add, for Spring Breaker to complete his lap. And Spring Breaker's finally on the board. It looks</p>

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	01:11:24	like Spring Breaker is saving his strategy, transforming his robot into an eagle roadblock. And one more solid hit for good measure. <inaudible> A big response from the crowd there. They're loving it. Yes, yes, yes!
	01:11:24	SFX Buzzer There's the buzzer! It's Run Amok!
CU SCORE BOARD	01:11:30	AHMET ZAPPA VO Run Amok gets around the track three times at ten points each. An extra 20 for making the most laps, but he loses ten for going out of bounds. His total, 40 points. While Spring Breaker, with one lap, takes home ten.
MS AHMET	01:11:42	AHMET ZAPPA OC Ohhhh! The winner is, Run Amok! All right, let's go down to the floor where Tanya and Tanika are standing by.
MS TANIKA & RED TEAM MS REPLAY RUN AMOK ON FIGURE EIGHT CU JOERGER CU AARON	01:11:51	TANIKA RAY OC What was your strategy during the Speedway?
	01:11:53	MARK JOERGER OC We didn't really have one. It was, it was basically try to stay off the walls and keep out of too much trouble. We didn't do real good at that.
	01:11:59	TANIKA RAY VO/OC Yeah, it seemed like you had a couple of steering problems. Are you going to be able to fix that before the next round?
	01:12:03	MARK JOERGER VO/OC My steering mechanism is a little bit different from the others. I have a steering mechanism much more like an automobile than, than a tank. The front wheels actually do steer left and right.

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	<p>01:12:13</p> <p>01:12:14</p> <p>01:12:15</p> <p>01:12:16</p>	<p>TANIKA RAY OC Well good luck in the next round. We'll see you in the Maze!</p> <p>MARK JOERGER OC Thank you.</p> <p>AARON OC Yeah!</p> <p>SFX Clapping & Cheering</p>
<p>MS TANYA & RIENDEAU MS REPLAY SPRING BREAKER ON FIGURE EIGHT CU RIENDEAU</p>	<p>01:12:18</p> <p>01:12:26</p> <p>01:12:38</p> <p>01:12:43</p> <p>01:12:43</p>	<p>TANYA MEMME OC Well you have two more rounds to go. What happened though? I know, at the beginning, Spring Breaker you were having, he was kind of swirling around. I wasn't sure about the steering. What was going on there? And then you finally got stuck for a while.</p> <p>RICH RIENDEAU VO/OC I tell you, it's hard enough trying to drive. You, you're not really thinking at this point, you know, of, you know, slamming the other bot. I don't exactly know what went wrong but my power dropped off, and I was dead in the water for a long time.</p> <p>TANYA MEMME VO/OC Okay, well we're going to send you down to the repair stations for a few repairs and modifications. And we're going to see you in the next round.</p> <p>RICH RIENDEAU OC Great.</p> <p>TANYA MEMME OC Good luck. Go Spring Breaker!</p>

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<p>CU KILLER B & MINI INFERNO WS MAZE</p> <p>GRAPHICS <i>Robotica</i> <i>TLC</i> <i>Life Unscripted</i></p>	<p>01:12:47</p>	<p>AHMET ZAPPA VO When we come back, Killer B and Mini Inferno will go head to head in the Maze when Robotica returns.</p>
<p>FADE TO BLACK</p>	<p>01:12:59</p>	<p><u>MUSIC OUT</u></p>
<p>GRAPHICS <i>Robotica</i> <i>TLC</i> <i>Life Unscripted</i></p>	<p>01:13:29</p>	<p><u>MUSIC IN</u></p>
<p>WS PANNING ARENA MS AHMET</p>	<p>01:13:32 01:13:36</p>	<p>SFX Crowd Cheering</p> <p>AHMET ZAPPA OC Robotica is back, and some re-assembly was required.</p>
<p>MS SPLIT SCREEN KILLER B & MINI INFERNO MS CREWS WORKING ON ROBOTS</p> <p>GRAPHICS <i>Pit Cam</i></p>	<p>01:13:40</p>	<p>AHMET ZAPPA VO Let's go down to the pits where Killer B and Mini Inferno's builders are working to wrench them back to life.</p>
<p>MS CREWS WORKING ON ROBOT ZOOM IN CU MINI INFERNO MS JOERGER</p>	<p>01:13:46 01:14:01</p>	<p>AHMET ZAPPA VO Jason Bardis and Mini Inferno showed they are the reigning kings of Robot Leap Frog in the Speedway. Let's see what kind of damage that aerial display caused. Now here he is along with his fellow crew members, Lauren Harold<ph> and Christian Carlton<ph>.</p> <p>JASON BARDIS OC I'm tightening up a couple of my gear boxes that came loose during the race. It's pretty routine. I've done this many a time. It's just a matter of</p>

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	01:14:14	pulling the motor and the gearbox apart. AHMET ZAPPA VO As Jason adjusts his robot, let's take a closer look into the mind behind Mini Inferno.
CU BARDIS MS VARIOUS ROBOTS & BARDIS MS UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SANTA BARBARA	01:14:21	AHMET ZAPPA VO Welcome to the world of Jason Bardis, part-scientist, part-bot builder, part-sizzling swing dancer. Jason's story begins at UC, Santa Barbara where he is in the seventh year of an engineering Ph.D.
MS BARDIS VARIOUS MS BARDIS	01:14:36	JASON BARDIS OC I'm studying adhesively bonded composite joints, or another way to put it, how to glue airplanes together. Doing research for the FAA.
MS BARDIS & ASSOCIATE VARIOUS MS BARDIS & ROBOTS	01:14:43	AHMET ZAPPA VO But even with his sticky studies, Jason never strayed far from his first love, constructing robots for competition. For Robotica, Jason decided to build a bot with a fiery little drive train that he would come to call Mini Inferno.
CU BARDIS MS MINI INFERNO	01:14:59	JASON BARDIS OC Mini Inferno packs a lot of punch per, per volume. It's a very tough package, despite its size.
MS BARDIS & ASSOCIATE	01:15:05	JASON BARDIS OC It's small and it's quick. It's maneuverable.
VARIOUS CU MINI INFERNO VARIOUS MS BARDIS WORKING ON ROBOT CU BARDIS	01:15:08 01:15:15	AHMET ZAPPA VO With some last minute modifications, Jason's own Doug Flutie was ready to take the field. JASON BARDIS VO/OC It's got four power drills and gearboxes and motors. And what I do is, I run them at 24 volts. You know, up the voltage a little bit. Get more

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	01:15:25	AHMET ZAPPA VO With its super juice motors in place, it was time to fit this player with some special armor.
	01:15:30	JASON BARDIS VO/OC I made all the composite panels for Mini Inferno right in my office in our, in our autoclave there. The top panel, the bottom panel and all of the flaps are all carbon fiber panels. It's very, very strong and tension compression bending. Despite its size, it'll be a David and Goliath type thing where I think David might come out on top.
MS MINI INFERNO BEING TESTED MS BARDIS OPERATING MINI INFERNO CU BARDIS	01:15:50	AHMET ZAPPA VO Indeed, no one should underestimate the power of this swing dancing scientist's scorching creation.
	01:15:56	JASON BARDIS VO/OC I've been driving it for a while and if it comes down to it maybe I can even just run around and outlive them on battery power until I get a good shot or until the other guy starts weakening.
MS BARDIS DANCING CU MINI INFERNO SPINNING	01:16:04	AHMET ZAPPA VO Better bring your boogie shoes because Mini Inferno is here to tango with the best Robotica has to offer.
MS BARDIS REPAIRING MINI INFERNO	01:16:13	AHMET ZAPPA VO While he may have lost the Speedway, Mini Inferno's proved he's definitely here to play.
CU KILLER B'S WHEELS ZOOM OUT MS SLIVER TEAM WORKING ON ROBOT	01:16:19	AHMET ZAPPA VO Over on the Killer B side, Mini Inferno was more than a mini past in the Speedway. It looks like they survived without any major repairs. But what are they going to do to ready themselves for the Maze?

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<p>MS ROBOT WHEELS MS ROLL OF DUCK TAPE PAN LEFT SILVER TEAM WORKING ON KILLER B</p>	<p>01:16:30 01:16:41</p>	<p>CHUCK MCMANIS VO These are really cool. These are omni<ph> wheels and they let you roll in any direction. They roll this way, and they roll sideways. And they've been really good because on the, on the plastic, on the plastic, on the hard concrete, works great.</p> <p>AHMET ZAPPA VO So that's how they plan to waterproof their machine in the Maze. Good thinking. Let's find out what other good thought went into the making of Killer B.</p>
<p>VARIOUS MS MCMANIS ROBOT & FAMILY</p>	<p>01:16:51</p>	<p>AHMET ZAPPA VO Meet Chuck McManis, software designer, amateur rocketeer, and father of three. And designer of the killer robot, Killer B.</p>
<p>MS MCMANIS VARIOUS MS ROBOT & SILVER TEAM MEMBERS TESTING ROBOT</p>	<p>01:17:01 01:17:27</p>	<p>CHUCK MCMANIS VO/OC It came to us as soon as we powered it up. This, this robot makes a, a really loud kind of buzz. You know when you hear this buzz you got to be afraid, you'd be very afraid. It's made of, entirely of a steel frame with bolted on aluminum armor. It has a couple of high-performance electric go- cart motors as its engines. And these sticky go cart wheels for its, for its traction. It goes fast. It goes hard, and it just zooms.</p> <p>AHMET ZAPPA VO When it comes to strategy, this bot's got it built in.</p>
<p>MS MCMANIS & ELLIE MS MCMANIS VARIOUS MS KILLER B CU RUBBER TIRES</p>	<p>01:17:30</p>	<p>CHUCK MCMANIS VO/OC Robotica's really great because it has so many challenges. We sat down and listed all of the properties that a robot would have that would be successful. In the speed events, speed wins. In the Maze events, speed wins. In the Gauntlet, it's more of a traction wins. So speed was number</p>

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		one and traction was number two.
VARIOUS MS SILVER TEAM & KILLER B	01:17:47	AHMET ZAPPA VO A solid robot with a solid foundation. But in the Fight to the Finish, it's all about the weapons.
MS KILLER B RUNNING INTO VARIOUS OBJECTS MS MCMANIS	01:17:54	CHUCK MCMANIS OC Our weapon is really primarily a scoop. We're, we're like the, the burger flipper. We want to reach underneath and lift these guys up and just take them out.
	01:18:02	AHMET ZAPPA VO When this B leaves the hive, you can be sure someone is going to get stung.
CU SCORE BOARD	01:18:08	AHMET ZAPPA VO At the end of the first competition, it's Killer B with 80. Mini Inferno with 40. And Run Amok over Spring Breaker 40 to ten.
WS MAZE	01:18:18	AHMET ZAPPA VO Okay, it's time for competition number two, the Maze.
MS AHMET	01:18:21	AHMET ZAPPA OC Now this is a test of human mind and robotic body. The object of this game is to get to the center of the Maze before your opponent. But this Maze has some unexpected guests.
MS PANNING VARIOUS FEATURES OF THE MAZE	01:18:34	AHMET ZAPPA VO First, they'll have to negotiate this steel ramp with a kick. One misstep and it'll toss you 20 feet in the air. Next up, they'll have to plow their way through this roadblock. Then they take on these revolving spike paddles of doom. If the bots aren't powerful or fast enough, there'll be some serious impaling. After that, it's over the speed bumps and through the guillotine of death. One wrong move and so long suspension. And finally

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		they'll have to contend with the demonic blasts of H2O that could short circuit them on their way to the finish line. Good luck.
MS PANNING MAZE GRAPHICS <i>15 Points Per Obstacle</i> <i>25 Points For Winner</i>	01:19:08	AHMET ZAPPA VO 15 points will be awarded for each obstacle successfully navigated, and an additional 25 points will be given to our winner in the center.
MS AHMET WS MAZE PAN DOWN MS KILLER B MS MINI INFERNO	01:19:16	AHMET ZAPPA OC Ladies and gentlemen, representing the Silver Team, Killer B! And his opponent from the Gold Team, it's Mini Inferno!
MS AHMET	01:19:31	AHMET ZAPPA OC Okay. Get your gadgets and gear. Let's get it on Robotica style!
WS MAZE	01:19:36	AHMET ZAPPA VO For this match, the drivers will operate their robots from an elevated scaffold.
MS KILLER B AT MAZE START LINE CU KILLER B STARTING MAZE	01:19:44 01:19:46	MALE ANNOUNCER VO Robots ready. SFX Buzzer
VARIOUS MS ROBOTS NEGOTIATING MAZE	01:19:52	AHMET ZAPPA VO Killer B's experiencing a little trouble steering at the ramp. Does Mini Inferno weigh enough to push the ramp down? Whoo, just barely! Mini Inferno is taking on the <inaudible> with no <inaudible>. Killer B is still struggling with the ramp. Mini Inferno is past the box and taking on the ramp. Mini Inferno looking like he's trapped underneath panel number two.
VARIOUS MS ROBOTS NEGOTIATING MAZE MS	01:20:27	AHMET ZAPPA VO Killer B finally making that ramp. Let's see if

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SILVER TEAM MEMBERS		Mini Inferno can get out of this little jam. Come on little guy, come on. Killer B taking his time getting around that turn. And Mini Inferno is still stuck. Killer B takes on the first panel. Close call in the back swing there. Panel number two. Giving him a big love tap, yeah baby. Naughty little robot. Mini Inferno is still stuck on that second panel. Here's Killer B's <inaudible>. Hello. Past the guillotine, baby. A brutal wakeup call from that spiked gate. And Killer B can't seem to get away. Oh, no. Killer B, stuck on the bumps. His wheels are off the ground. Just spinning back and forth.
MS MINI INFERNO MS SILVER TEAM MEMBERS	01:21:17	AHMET ZAPPA VO Mini Inferno. Yeah, he got past the second panel. Yes!
MS KILLER B STUCK IN MAZE	01:21:26	AHMET ZAPPA VO Still no luck for Killer B.
VARIOUS MS MINI INFERNO NEGOTIATING MAZE MS GOLD TEAM MEMBERS VARIOUS MS CHRISTIAN VARIOUS MS KILLER B STUCK IN MAZE	01:21:31 01:21:52 01:21:52 01:21:53 01:21:54	AHMET ZAPPA VO Mini Inferno getting by the guillotine, over the box. Yes! Just the waterfall between Mini Inferno and victory. Oh, it's slippery. Mini Inferno having problems. Mini Inferno's Christian is screaming. He's feeling it. Come on, Mini Inferno, you can do it. CHRISTIAN VO Forward. AHMET ZAPPA VO Come on. CHRISTIAN OC Forward. AHMET ZAPPA VO Everybody's just pulling for Mini Inferno. Me, too. Oh, come on. Oh, Ellie McManis of the

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	01:22:05	Killer B Team looking very concerned. Her robot is stuck.
	01:22:06	CHRISTIAN VO Forward! Forward!
	01:22:10	AHMET ZAPPA VO Mini Inferno just trying to complete the Maze. Killer B's still struggling.
	01:22:11	CHRISTIAN OC Forward.
	01:22:23	AHMET ZAPPA VO This should mobilize it. Christian Carlton<ph> still screaming. Come on, Mini Inferno, come on. So close. Just a little bit more. Oh, Mini Inferno, come on, come on, come on. Oh, time!
		SFX Buzzer
	01:22:32	He's done it. Yes! What a race.
	01:22:32	CHRISTIAN VO Thank you.
	01:22:35	AHMET ZAPPA VO The minis have inherited the Maze.
		CHRISTIAN VO Thank you. Oh yeah.
CU SCORE BOARD	01:22:38	AHMET ZAPPA VO Mini Inferno masters the moguls and clears the obstacles at 15 points a clip plus he gets 25 bonus points for a total of 100 points. While Killer B, hung up on the speed bumps, claims only 45.
MS AHMET	01:22:52	AHMET ZAPPA OC Yes, Mini Inferno is the winner! <inaudible> Let's go down to the floor.

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WS PANNING ARENA & AUDIENCE MS TANIKA & GOLD TEAM MS BARDIS MS REPLAY MINI INFERNO NEGOTIATING MAZE	01:23:00 TANIKA RAY VO/OC All right. Mini Inferno is the winner. Now you guys just pulled ahead with that win. How psyched are you?
	01:23:04 JASON BARDIS OC Ah, that was great. It felt so good, especially since I was driving blind. It made it doubly fun.
	01:23:09 TANIKA RAY OC Did you guys expect those problems?
	01:23:11 JASON BARDIS OC I did not expect the second panel to be at an angle such that...
	01:23:14 TANIKA RAY VO Right.
	01:23:15 JASON BARDIS OC ...bolts sticking out the top of my robot would grab. That was what it was totally designed not to do. It was supposed to be an obstacle you push through, not something that clamps on the top of your robot.
	01:23:22 TANIKA RAY VO Exactly.
	01:23:22 JASON BARDIS VO/OC Plus I couldn't see it for the latter two-thirds at all. So I had my buddy, Christian, you know, yelling at me. And that's, that's what made it.
	01:23:27 TANIKA RAY VO Yeah, I heard that. Did you guys plan that strategy for you to be screaming the directions?
	01:23:32 CHRISTIAN OC Well, I, I saw the problem he was having. So I just ran down there and sort of, you know, I had

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	01:23:39	to actually jump up to see his robot on the other side of the little wall.
	01:23:42	TANIKA RAY OC Well now you guys are in the lead. Congratulations. Are you going to keep this winning streak going?
	01:23:43	JASON BARDIS OC Oh, you bet we are.
	01:23:43	SFX Cheering
		TANIKA RAY OC Okay. We'll see you in the Gauntlet. Congratulations.
CU SCORE BOARD	01:23:45	AHMET ZAPPA VO After the second competition, it's Mini Inferno over Killer B 140 to 125. Still to come, more Maze, a run at the Gauntlet and the final battle, Fight to the Finish when Robotica continues.
GRAPHICS <i>Robotica</i> <i>TLC</i> <i>Life Unscripted</i>	01:23:59	
	01:24:02	<u>MUSIC OUT</u>
FADE TO BLACK	01:24:03	
GRAPHICS <i>Robotica</i> <i>TLC</i> <i>Life Unscripted</i>	01:24:32	<u>MUSIC IN</u>
MS AHMET	01:24:35	AHMET ZAPPA OC Welcome back to Robotica, where all you need is a droid and a dream. Oh, ho.
MS SPLIT SCREEN RUN AMOK	01:24:41	AHMET ZAPPA VO

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<p>& SPRING BREAKER</p> <p>GRAPHICS <i>Pit Cam</i></p>		<p>Before Run Amok and Spring Breaker take out on the Maze, let's go down to the pits where the builders are busy repairing their machines.</p>
<p>MS JOERGER ZOOM OUT MS RED TEAM</p>	<p>01:24:49</p> <p>01:24:55</p> <p>01:25:00</p>	<p>AHMET ZAPPA VO Ah, it looks like Run Amok suffered some front-end damage. I wonder if he's going to use that two by four there to bend his wedge?</p> <p>MARK JOERGER OC I think I'm going to take it out on the <inaudible> in front of the table and just start whanging <ph> this thing, to use a technical term.</p> <p>AHMET ZAPPA VO Well while Mark works on his wedge, let's learn a little bit more about him.</p>
<p>VARIOUS MS JOERGER CU JOERGER'S PERFORMING MAGIC</p>	<p>01:25:04</p> <p>01:25:14</p>	<p>AHMET ZAPPA VO This is Mark Joerger. Self-described tinkerer who gives new life to dead machines, Mark's also a man who enjoys little sleight of hand. He's a magician.</p> <p>MARK JOERGER VO The concept of being able to do something simply impossible has always appealed to me.</p>
<p>MS ROBOT MS KEYBOARD TILT UP MS JOERGER</p>	<p>01:25:20</p>	<p>AHMET ZAPPA VO That sentiment brought Mark to the Robotica competition, and while other builders have enlisted the aid of experts and machinists, Mark has looked to only one other person for help.</p>
<p>MS JOERGER MS JOERGER FAMILY</p>	<p>01:25:32</p>	<p>MARK JOERGER VO/OC My son, Aaron Max Joerger, will be my teammate during the competition. He's nine years old.</p>
<p>VARIOUS MS ROBOT BEING</p>	<p>01:25:39</p>	<p>AHMET ZAPPA VO</p>

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MS CREW WORKING ON RUN AMOK	01:27:08	AHMET ZAPPA VO Mark's one step closer to the Fight to the Finish if he can just get those last dents out. It looks like he's getting some help from his son and co-pilot, Aaron. Over on Spring Breaker's side, Rich Riendeau is showing us the secret behind his theory.
MS RIENDEAU & SPRING BREAKER	01:27:23 01:27:25 01:27:26 01:27:34	RICH RIENDEAU OC It looks like this came loose. MALE VOICE VO What is that? RICH RIENDEAU OC This is a ballast that weighs down the front end giving me friction, some traction for the front bearing. It seems to have like... AHMET ZAPPA VO Those broken zip ties may have been Rich's problem in the Speedway. Let's find out more about Spring Breaker.
VARIOUS WS DAYTONA BEACH MS SPRING BREAKER MS RIENDEAU MS PHOTO RIENDEAU	01:27:40	AHMET ZAPPA VO Daytona Beach, home of NASCAR, miles of white sand and one very colorful robot known as Spring Breaker. Spring Breaker is the creation of Rich Riendeau. In college, he was part of a team that built a hybrid electric car. Today, he's a dot com consultant, and a first-time competitive robot builder.
MS RIENDEAU CU COMPUTER SCREEN MS SPRING BREAKER MS RIENDEAU PRACTICING KARATE	01:28:03 01:28:12	RICH RIENDEAU VO/OC The robot was mainly constructed in my living room. I drilled there. I was grinding there. I put down a carpet because I rent. I don't, I want my, you know, security deposit back. AHMET ZAPPA VO Spring Breaker was intended to be a simple

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		wedge. As the bot evolved, the shape was inspired by Rich's interests in the ancient art of Karate.
WS RIENDEAU PRACTICING KARATE MS SPRING BREAKER MS RIENDEAU CU PANNING GEARS & MOTOR OF SPRING BREAKER MS SPRING BREAKER LOADED ONTO BIKE RACK	01:28:23 01:28:35 01:28:51	RICH RIENDEAU VO It's a lot like martial arts. My robot has a lot of angled surfaces, which were designed. Instead of opposing a force directly, divert some of that force off into a direction that it's, it's, it isn't going to harm it. AHMET ZAPPA VO Driving the bot is a heavy-duty roller chain and two high torque wheel chair motors. The power source, 17 amp batteries. The next challenge was to find a place that can handle mounting those batteries, and welding the solid aluminum skeleton. SFX Tires Squealing
MS RIENDEAU & FRIEND WORKING ON SPRING BREAKER MS SPRING BREAKER ON STREET	01:28:52 01:29:00	RICH RIENDEAU VO The only problem is I have been working in my living room. And, and at least as far as I know it's really not good to do welding next to a couch. AHMET ZAPPA VO The guys at Kimball's had never worked on a robot either. But Rich convinced them to weld up a rock solid aluminum frame. After installing custom welded battery mounts, Rich felt he needed one extra special advantage to make Spring Breaker fully ready for his special style of combat.
MS SPRING BREAKER BEING PAINTED	01:29:19	RICH RIENDEAU VO I had it airbrushed, specifically, because I thought that a lot of native American cultures, they always used to take and put on their war paint before they go into battle. And so I just thought it was

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		appropriate to paint it up and just make sure the spirits are with me.
CU SCORE BOARD	01:29:33	AHMET ZAPPA VO Well the spirits haven't been with him so far. Let's take a look at the score. It's Run Amok leading Spring Breaker 40 to ten.
MS AHMET WS MAZE GRAPHICS <i>15 Points Per Obstacle</i> <i>25 Points For Winner</i>	01:29:42	AHMET ZAPPA OC Let's go back down to the Maze and see what Spring Breaker will have to do to even the score. 15 points will be awarded for each obstacle successfully navigated, and a 25 point bonus for the robot who makes it to the center first.
MS AHMET MS RUN AMOK ENTERING MAZE	01:29:55	AHMET ZAPPA OC And remember the first robot to reach the center, wins. Ladies and gentlemen, representing the Red Team, it's Run Amok!
MS SPRING BREAKER ENTERING MAZE	01:30:06	AHMET ZAPPA VO And his opponent for the Blue Team, it's Spring Breaker!
MS AHMET	01:30:14	AHMET ZAPPA OC Now it's time to let her rip! Enjoy the Maze, Robotica!
MS MAZE MS RUN AMOK ENTERING MAZE	01:30:23	MALE ANNOUNCER VO Robots ready.
	01:30:25	SFX Buzzer
MS SPRING BREAKER & RUN AMOK NEGOTIATING MAZE	01:30:31	AHMET ZAPPA VO Run Amok up the ramp. Spring Breaker goes down and squeaks past the weighted box, baby.
MS SPRING BREAKER	01:30:42	AHMET ZAPPA VO Run Amok pushes the box with some authority.

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VARIOUS MS RUN AMOK & SPRING BREAKER NEGOTIATING MAZE	01:30:48	AHMET ZAPPA VO Spring Breaker slams through the first panel. Now it's Run Amok's turn. No problem. Spring Breaker past number two. Now, Run Amok. Oh, close call for the eagle.
TILT DOWN WS SPRING BREAKER IN MAZE MS RUN AMOK	01:31:09	AHMET ZAPPA VO Check out the spikes on that panel baby. Right into Spring Breaker, yeah!
MS SPRING BREAKER STUCK ON SPEED BUMPS MS RIENDEAU	01:31:20	AHMET ZAPPA VO It looks like Spring Breaker may have beached himself on those speed bumps. There's his driver not looking too happy.
MS RUN AMOK BEING HIT BY GUILLOTINE TILT DOWN WS SPRING BREAKER MS RUN AMOK CROSSING FINISH LINE MS RUN AMOK & SPRING BREAKER	01:31:28 01:31:55	AHMET ZAPPA VO Run Amok taking a nice stab from the guillotine. And another. Sweet. He's past the bump. Oh, he's going back for more crushing from the guillotine, and a little more. Ah, look a nice shot of his war paint. He's dead on the water. Run Amok lining himself up for a run for the finish. And, yes, yes, yes. SFX Buzzer He's done it! He's overshot the Maze. Oh yeah! Run Amok is my hero, people.
CU SCORE BOARD	01:32:09	AHMET ZAPPA VO Run Amok clears the obstacles for 15 points apiece, plus an extra 25 for being the first through the middle. A total of 100 points. While Spring Breaker, stumped by the speed bumps, collects a mere 45.
MS AHMET	01:32:22	AHMET ZAPPA OC All right. The winner is Run Amok! Let's go down to the floor to get some post-performance commentary.

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MS TANIKA & RED TEAM MS JOERGER VARIOUS MS REPLAY RUN AMOK NEGOTIATING MAZE	01:32:27	TANIKA RAY OC All right. Run Amok, winner again. Okay, you guys were slow and deliberate. Is that how you planned to go out?
	01:32:34	MARK JOERGER OC After, after our, our disaster in the figure eight race, we backed off the power curve a little bit. We were slow. We were deliberate, and it paid off for us.
	01:32:42	TANIKA RAY OC It absolutely did. You were speeding in the beginning. You got the box out of the way. Everything was going cool but it looked like you had a little bit of problem with the guillotine. It was kind of slamming down on top of you.
	01:32:50	MARK JOERGER VO We, we've got plenty of top armor. We weren't worried about top damage. My strategy was to just get the nose of the bot under the guillotine and let it, let it hit it all it wanted to.
	01:32:59	TANIKA RAY OC Good luck in Gauntlet.
	01:33:01	MARK JOERGER OC Thank you.
	01:33:01	SFX Cheering
	01:33:01	TANIKA RAY OC All right!
	01:33:02	AARON OC Yeah!
	CU SCORE BOARD	01:33:03

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		over Killer B by a hair, 140 to 125. And Run Amok leading Spring Breaker 140 to 55.
WS PANNING THE GAUNTLET	01:33:12	AHMET ZAPPA VO Coming up, Run Amok, Spring Breaker, Killer B and Mini Inferno run the Gauntlet. Who will catapult to the Fight to the Finish, you ask? Well, find out when Robotica continues.
GRAPHICS <i>Robotica</i> <i>TLC</i> <i>Life Unscripted</i>	01:33:28	<u>MUSIC OUT</u>
FADE TO BLACK	01:33:29	
GRAPHICS <i>Robotica</i> <i>TLC</i> <i>Life Unscripted</i>	01:33:58	<u>MUSIC IN</u>
WS PANNING THE GAUNTLET	01:34:02	AHMET ZAPPA VO We're back with more Robotica. The final event in our first round of competition is the Gauntlet.
MS AHMET	01:34:09	AHMET ZAPPA OC This is an old-fashioned drag race with some newer rules. Two robots, two tracks and 50 feet to the finish. Fastest bot wins.
MS PANNING OBSTACLES OF THE GAUNTLET	01:34:17	AHMET ZAPPA VO Only five things stand between the start and the finish, five increasingly difficult obstructions that the robots will attempt to blast through. First, there's a pane of glass. Now if you get past this without a scratch, don't stick around to admire your reflection because you'll be met by a mound of metal cans staring you in the face. Then if you recycle those suckers, you'll be met by a solid

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		brick wall, and it's on to a stack of concrete stones. And just when you thought it was safe, well it is a safe weighing more than 100 pounds. The first bot to push that baby across the finish line gets all the marbles!
MS AHMET MS RUN AMOK	01:34:55	AHMET ZAPPA OC Each obstacle is worth 15 points and the winner will receive an extra 25. Now entering the arena representing the Red Team, it's Run Amok.
	01:35:04	SFX Cheering
MS SPRING BREAKER MS AHMET	01:35:12	AHMET ZAPPA VO/OC And his opponent from the Blue Team, it's Spring Breaker.
	01:35:16	SFX Crowd Cheering Robots, get your micro switches in motion. Let's do it!
WS PANNING GAUNTLET TO MS ROBOTS & CONTROLLERS	01:35:24	AHMET ZAPPA VO For this competition, our drivers will be controlling their bots from the floor.
	01:35:34	MALE ANNOUNCER VO Robots ready.
	01:35:36	SFX Buzzer
MS RUN AMOK & SPRING BREAKER STARTING GAUNTLET MS RIENDEAU VARIOUS MS ROBOTS NEGOTIATING OBSTACLES OF THE GAUNTLET VARIOUS MS RUN AMOK ATTEMPTING	01:35:41	AHMET ZAPPA VO Spring Breaker heads right into the rail, while Run Amok smashes straight through to the bricks. Spring Breaker frees himself. Run Amok carrying a ton of debris under his wedge. Spring Breaker can't get past the cans. Poor eagle. Run Amok's going to have back up and give it all he's

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<p>TO PUSH SAFE MS SPRING BREAKER STUCK MS JOERGER & SON MS RUN AMOK WINNING GAUNTLET SEGMENT</p>	<p>01:37:31</p>	<p>got to get past that. Yes! Run Amok pulling back for an even bigger head start. What's going on? It looks like something's caught under Run Amok. Trouble for Run Amok. Stuck. Both bots are stuck right now. Rich Riendeau is not looking happy. Spring Breaker is not performing. Run Amok is still stuck. Come on man. Run Amok, break free! Yes! Oh. Spring Breaker's still stuck in the can. What's going on? Mark Joerger and Run Amok just blasts through all that debris and take the safe head on! He's backing up. He's taking it straight on again. He'll have to do this a number of times to push that safe out of the way. Come on, Run Amok. Come on, baby! Run Amok just bashing for all he's worth. So close. Backing up in the cans. Smashing. Hitting up on the safe. Run Amok is actually shaking from the force. He's so close. He's so close. Almost. Come on, Run Amok, come on. Come on, Run Amok. Almost over!</p> <p>SFX Buzzer</p> <p><inaudible> Mark Joerger and Run Amok are the first competitors to make it to the Fight to the Finish. Yeah! Yes.</p>
<p>MS RIENDEAU MS SPRING BREAKER STUCK ON GAUNTLET</p>	<p>01:37:47</p>	<p>AHMET ZAPPA VO Rich Riendeau is shaking his head in disbelief that Spring Breaker is stuck in the paint cans.</p>
<p>MS JOERGER & SON</p>	<p>01:37:52 01:37:54 01:37:56</p>	<p>MARK JOERGER OC What do you think? Did you like that one?</p> <p>AARON OC Yeah. <inaudible></p> <p>MARK JOERGER OC Yeah, we got all the way. Yeah, we are there.</p>

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MS RIENDEAU PAN RIGHT MS SPRING BREAKER STUCK	01:37:59	AHMET ZAPPA VO Rich Riendeau and Spring Breaker having a bad Robotica day. I guess all that air brushing didn't really help out on the can.
CU SCORE BOARD	01:38:08	AHMET ZAPPA VO Run Amok blasts through the obstacles at 15 points a piece with 25 more for reaching the finish line first, giving him 100 points. Spring Breaker breaking only the glass, takes home a measly 15. Heh, heh.
MS AHMET	01:38:20	AHMET ZAPPA OC The winner of the Gauntlet with 100 points is Run Amok! Let's go down to the floor.
WS AUDIENCE MS TANIKA, JOERGER & SON MS REPLAY RUN AMOK NEGOTIATING GAUNTLET	01:38:29	TANIKA RAY OC Run Amok, winner again. You guys did fantastic! Now you crashed right through the glass and through the paint cans. But then it seemed like there was something stuck under your robot. What do you think happened?
	01:38:38	MARK JOERGER OC We got a paint can hung up underneath the robot and it was lifting our, our front, front wheels off. And we lost steering for a while.
	01:38:45	TANIKA RAY OC Did you underestimate the strength needed for this obstacle?
	01:38:48	MARK JOERGER OC I was very worried about the safe, in particular.
	01:38:51	TANIKA RAY VO Right.
	01:38:51	MARK JOERGER VO So, we, we initially, in order to, to win our match we only had to go through the first two barriers, I

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	01:39:02	believe. But, you know, you get, you have to play to the crowd, right guys? SFX Cheering
	01:38:02	TANIKA RAY VO And they love the drama, let me tell you. That's right. Run Amok is going on to the Fight to the Finish. Congratulations, you guys.
	01:38:11	AARON OC Thank you.
	01:38:11	TANIKA RAY OC See you in the next round.
MS RUN AMOK RUNNING THE GAUNTLET MS JOERGER & SON	01:39:16	AHMET ZAPPA VO Run Amok at the Gauntlet. Who's your daddy? The answer, Mark Joerger.
MA AHMET	01:39:23	AHMET ZAPPA OC Okay, it's time once again for the final event in our first round of competition, the Gauntlet.
CU KILLER B TILT UP MS SILVER TEAM	01:39:28	AHMET ZAPPA VO Now entering the arena, representing the Silver Team, it's Killer B.
	01:39:32	SFX Cheering
MS AHMET	01:39:36	AHMET ZAPPA OC And his opponent from the Gold Team, it's Mini Inferno.
MS MINI INFERNO TILT UP MS GOLD TEAM MS AHMET	01:39:43	AHMET ZAPPA VO/OC Okay, babies. It's time to kick some robot bods <ph>! Come on.
WS ARENA FAST PAN WS	01:39:51	MALE ANNOUNCER VO

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SILVER & GOLD TEAMS	01:39:52	Robots ready. SFX Buzzer
MS MINI INFERNO & KILLER B ENTERING GAUNTLET VARIOUS MS ROBOTS NEGOTIATING GAUNTLET OBSTACLES	01:39:56	AHMET ZAPPA VO And Mini Inferno tears up the line. He goes through the glass <inaudible>. Nothing to it. Same for Killer B. Both robots fighting for a chance to take on Run Amok.
MS MINI INFERNO BREAKING DOWN BRICK WALL VARIOUS MS ROBOTS NEGOTIATING GAUNTLET VARIOUS MS OWNERS CONTROLLING ROBOTS MS KILLER B WINNING GAUNTLET RACE MS SILVER TEAM	01:40:13	AHMET ZAPPA VO Mini Inferno's through. He's through the cement. He's attempting the safe. Mini Inferno blasting at the safe. Killer B pushing a massive pile. Come on. Each hit. Taking Mini Inferno closer and closer to the Fight to the Finish. Killer B is not letting up. Mini Inferno bash, bash. Killer B with a huge hit! Mini Inferno pounding for all he's worth. Can he do it? Killer B's getting some major movement out of the safe. Yes. It's Killer B and Run Amok in the Fight to the Finish, people! A very happy Killer B team. Oh, Mini Inferno put up a great fight. It was so close.
MS AHMET	01:41:12	AHMET ZAPPA OC The winner of the Gauntlet with a score of 100 points is Killer B!
CU SCORE BOARD	01:41:19	AHMET ZAPPA VO Coming from behind, Killer B takes them all down at 50 points a piece, plus the coveted extra 25 for finishing first, 100 points total. Mini Inferno falls short at the safe with a total of 60.
MS AHMET	01:41:31	AHMET ZAPPA OC Which means that Killer B is moving on to our final round, the Fight to the Finish! Let's go down to the floor.
MS PANNING AUDIENCE MS	01:41:40	TANIKA RAY VO/OC

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<p>TANIKA INTERVIEWING SILVER TEAM MS REPLAY KILLER B RUNNING GAUNTLET</p>	<p>01:41:42 01:41:54 01:41:55 01:41:56 01:41:56 01:42:02 01:42:09 01:41:11</p>	<p>All right, Killer B won!</p> <p>ELLIE OC Yeah. That, that is like so great! And actually for a minute I was scared they were going to beat us. I mean they were going through all the obstacles and they were pushing the safe, but then Mark just revved that bad baby up, and it went like it was on wheels.</p> <p>TANIKA RAY VO It was.</p> <p>ELLIE VO Yeah.</p> <p>CHUCK MCMANIS VO Totally.</p> <p>TANIKA RAY OC Yeah, that was so close. Speed and power won out on this. Did you know that was going to be such a major component?</p> <p>CHUCK MCMANIS OC Yes. We were mass and velocity. And at the end there is just Mark revving it up and getting the tires hot. Stuck them to the ground and boom!</p> <p>TANIKA RAY OC You guys are going on to the Fight to the Finish. Congratulations.</p> <p>SFX Cheering Yeah!</p>
<p>MS AHMET</p>	<p>01:42:14</p>	<p>AHMET ZAPPA OC We've eliminated the rest, and now we're left with the best.</p>

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MS RUN AMOK MS KILLER B WS PANNING ARENA	01:42:18	AHMET ZAPPA VO Run Amok and Killer B are going to duke it out in an old school street fight with a high tech twist, the Fight to the Finish is next when Robotica continues.
GRAPHICS <i>Robotica</i> <i>TLC</i> <i>Life Unscripted</i>	01:42:29	<u>MUSIC OUT</u>
FADE TO BLACK	01:42:30	
GRAPHICS <i>Robotica</i> <i>TLC</i> <i>Life Unscripted</i>	01:42:59	<u>MUSIC IN</u>
WS ARENA MS AHMET	01:43:04	AHMET ZAPPA VO/OC This is the moment we've all been waiting for. The winner of this match will be the only bot to walk off this 16 by 16 square alive.
MS FIGHT TO THE FINISH RAMP MS AHMET	01:43:13	AHMET ZAPPA VO/OC And those guard rails, get a good look at them. Because after 60 seconds, these rails will drop and then it's metal mayhem. That's right. Two bots enter. One bot leaves. Them's the rules. I don't make them up. Our first finalist representing the Red Team, it's Run Amok.
	01:43:30	SFX Crowd Cheering
MS RUN AMOK ENTERING RAMP MS AHMET MS KILLER B ENTERING RAMP WS FIGHT TO THE FINISH RAMP & ROBOTS	01:43:41	AHMET ZAPPA VO/OC And his opponent, representing the Silver Team, Killer B!
	01:43:46	SFX Crowd Cheering

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	01:43:59	AHMET ZAPPA VO/OC Finalists, are you ready? Okay, it's do or definitely die. Come on Robotica babies.
MS ROBOTS	01:44:11	MALE ANNOUNCER VO Robots ready.
	01:44:13	SFX Buzzer
WS ROBOTS STARTING FIGHT TO THE FINISH VARIOUS MS ROBOTS DURING FIGHT TO THE FINISH CU JOERGER MS RUN AMOK RAMMING KILLER B CU RIENDEAU PAN RIGHT WS ROBOTS ON RAMP	01:44:16	AHMET ZAPPA VO Run Amok working without his wedge. Oh, Killer B is the first to attack! Yes! Run Amok just rolls right over Killer B. Killer B connects to the robot with a round house. Oh, yeah! They're hurt. Oh, it looks like Killer B's stuck in the rail. Run Amok is just plowing into him, giving it all he's got. Run Amok applying all of his pressure. Mark Joerger's sitting pretty. Oh, yeah another hit from Run Amok! Yes! Looks like it's just a waiting game now. There's Killer B's driver breaking out in a sweat. I would be too. He knows it's inevitable. The end is close by. He's just got one chance to get away once those rails drop. He's either home free or burnt toast.
MS GUARD RAILS FALLING FROM RAMP MS RUN AMOK PUSHING KILLER B OFF RAMP MS JOERGER MS KILLER B UPSIDE DOWN ON FLOOR TILT UP RUN AMOK ON RAMP	01:45:17 01:45:21	AHMET ZAPPA VO And there goes the rails! Killer B, Killer B. Killer B! SFX Buzzer It's Run Amok, baby! Congratulations, Run Amok! Yes, Mark Joerger takes a victory stroll. Yes, yes! Congratulations.
MS AHMET	01:45:37	AHMET ZAPPA OC The winner is Run Amok! Let's go down to the floor.

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WS AUDIENCE VARIOUS MS TANIKA INTERVIEWING JOERGER MS REPLAY ON FIGHT TO THE FINISH RAMP	01:45:44	TANIKA RAY OC Yes, Run Amok the winner! That was very, very exciting.
	01:45:48	MARK JOERGER OC We had some, some good fortune. Actually, it was Killer B's bad fortune. They got stuck under the rail. And when the rail dropped, I, I am not sure whether it was my incredible driving skill or, or just the fact that they were so close to the edge. I'm, I'm going to take credit for it if I can.
	01:45:04	TANIKA RAY OC Exactly. All you.
	01:45:06	MARK JOERGER OC Yeah.
	01:45:06	TANIKA RAY OC Any particular strategy going into this round?
	01:45:08	MARK JOERGER OC Our strategy was to wait for them to come to us.
	01:45:11	TANIKA RAY VO Right.
	01:45:11	MARK JOERGER OC We left our, our front wedge off because we knew they had a lower wedge than we did.
	01:45:15	TANIKA RAY VO Okay.
	01:45:15	MARK JOERGER VO/OC And as long as they were going to get under us, we decided to leave the wedge off and give plenty clearance and just basically climb on top of them every time they tried to get under us. So it worked out well for us.
01:45:24	TANIKA RAY OC	

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	01:45:25	No damage? MARK JOERGER OC It doesn't appear to be any. I think we look great for the finals.
	01:45:28	TANIKA RAY OC Fantastic. So when you go to the finals, you should be in top condition.
	01:45:31	MARK JOERGER OC We'll be there.
	01:45:31	TANIKA RAY OC Right on. Congratulations, Run Amok.
	01:45:32	MARK JOERGER OC Thank you.
MS VARIOUS REPLAYS RUN AMOK DURING COMPETITION	01:46:33	AHMET ZAPPA VO He showed them in the Speedway. He told them again in the Maze. But it was the Gauntlet that did <inaudible> in a shot at Killer B. Run Amok swats Killer B earning him a spot in the Robotica Championship at the end of the season.
MS AHMET	01:46:49	AHMET ZAPPA OC Well, that's it for me. I'm Ahmet Zappa, and on behalf of Tanika Ray and Tanya Memme, good-bye from Robotica.
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	01:47:30	<u>MUSIC OUT</u>
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