

On February 4th, the Walnut Solar Car Team participated in the CCLS Chinese New Year Festival at Walnut High School. The team sold nachos and had a wheel of fortune with toys such as balloons and glow stick glasses. This was an amazing opportunity to showcase our team to a wide audience of children and support our major sponsor.



As the race is coming soon, the Walnut Solar Car team has been hosting extra workshops on Saturdays and holidays such as President's day to get the cars finished. Both the Advanced Division Solar Car and the Electric Solar Car are nearing completion. Our Advanced Division car got new stylish wheels and racing slicks for the front tires. All of the aluminum sheet metal work has been completed.



We have also interfaced the efficient Lithium Ion batteries from the Zero motorcycle we purchased to our Battery Management System, and

both cars should be up and running within a few weeks. Both cars are currently in the process of being wired. As we are completing the electrical portion, both cars received functioning brakes.



On February 19th, the Los Altos High School Solar Car Team came to visit our workshop to ask us questions about our Electric Car. They have not raced a solar car since 1997, and plan to participate in the 2019 Solar Car Challenge. Best of luck to Los Altos High School!



The team received a donation from Parker Aerospace, an important sponsor of our team for the past three years. Thank you, Parker Aerospace for the generous donation and continued support!

On March 18, we will be having our annual Walnut Solar Car Talent Show at Gard's Music, our main fundraiser where students perform a musical piece, skit, or other talent. We will also be having raffles and refreshments for our guests! Please come and support us!

