



**American Foundry Society**  
**Saginaw Valley Chapter**  
[www.saginawvalleyafs.com](http://www.saginawvalleyafs.com)

Date: **Thursday, October 2, 2025**  
Location: **Zehnder's of Frankenmuth - Town Hall downstairs**  
Meal: Family Style Chicken (fried and broiled) & Liver dinner  
Tickets: **\$40.00 NEW PRICE**

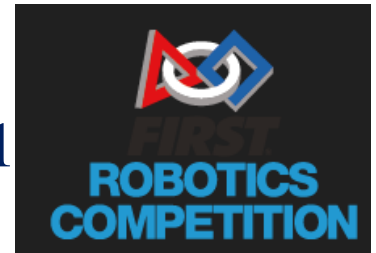
**SCHEDULE:**

6:00 PM - Social Hour  
6:45 PM - Dinner  
7:45 PM - Business Meeting  
8:00 PM - Program



**JOINT AFS/ASM/SAE DINNER**

**Byron Robotics Team #5641**



Come learn how *robots, teamwork, and innovation* is shaping the future of thousands of high school students around the world!

Join us for an inspiring evening as members of **Byron Robotics Team #5641** share their journey in the **FIRST Robotics** organization. Since their start in **2014**, this group of passionate high school students has been designing, building, and programming competition-ready robots—guided by volunteer mentors and powered by support from parents and sponsors.

- 🚀 Hear how they advanced to the **2024 Michigan State Championship** at **SVSU**
- 📺 Discover how they compete in both **in-season and off-season events**
- 💡 Learn about their creative fundraisers like **car smash events & local rodeos**
- 🌟 Find out how **STEM education** and **community support** are changing lives

Whether you're a local business owner, educator, parent, or community member, this is your chance to see firsthand how Byron Robotics is preparing the next generation of innovators.

Learn more about the team at [www.team5641.com](http://www.team5641.com)

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**The AFS 2024-2025 Program** will be posted to the website. Mark your calendars.

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| Thursday, November 6, 2025 | Thursday, February 5, 2026 |
| Thursday, December 4, 2025 | Thursday, March 5, 2026    |
| Thursday, January 8, 2026  | Saturday, June 6, 2026     |

**The next AFS SVC Foundry in a Box** event will be:

Wednesday, Oct 22 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM Saginaw Career Complex  
Delta College Girls Day Out on Friday, November 7  
Contact [smanyen@comcast.net](mailto:smanyen@comcast.net) if available to volunteer.

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