3 The First with FIRST

In 2000, SCCC became the first college in New York State to host the exciting FIRST (For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology) Robotics Competition, founded by former Long Islander Dean Kamen. This high-tech sporting event, held in the Ammerman Campus gym, pit gladiator robots against teams of high school students, teachers, corporate engineers, and other professionals to design and build robots in just six weeks.

