

Since we are only in our second year, I was wondering if could get some feedback from those experienced in Electrathon. As per rules, we are required to change over two of our systems when running the same car. What seems to be the best path to take here? We felt we did well last year for a first year team and want to continue to make progress.

I've been doing Electrathon since 1999. As a second year team you probably retain most of your original team with a few new people. Who are the thinkers, leaders, doers? Those people are going to have the most insight as to what needs to be done to improve your teams performance. After all isn't what we are all after is to see what it takes to make the most laps in any particular 60 min. period? What systems on your car caused the breakdowns last year? What needed almost no maintenance? Analyze what caused problems for other teams. Typically thrown chains are a problem, also carelessly routed wiring. Typically steering that is way to fast causes problems, (that is less driver input). Good luck. Stan