



# Our Robot

East Palo Alto Robotics 8048

# Our Approach

- Figured out the details of the challenge
- Initial brainstorming sessions
- We used the FIRST rookie kit

## **Why did we choose the Everybot mechanical design**

- ❖ Looked at the intricate game
- ❖ Determined our teams capabilities
- ❖ It used a Standard simple drive train, that we had built before
- ❖ Scoring advantages
- ❖ Defensive capabilities
- ❖ Bypass prototyping and design
- ❖ Get to competition ready robot faster

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public class RobotContainer {  
  
    public final Command autonomousCommand;  
  
    public RobotContainer() {  
  
        // Default select the Tuner tab  
        Shuffleboard.selectTab("game");  
  
        // Connect to all the inputs (gamepads and shuffleboard).  
        Gamepad driverGamepad = new Gamepad(Constants.driverGamepadPort);  
        Gamepad operatorGamepad = new Gamepad(Constants.operatorGamepadPort);  
        CameraServer.getInstance().startAutomaticCapture();  
  
        // Connect to all the outputs.  
        Arms arms = new Arms();  
        PowerCellHandler powerCellHandler = new PowerCellHandler();  
        Drivetrain drivetrain = new Drivetrain();  
        Climber climber = new Climber();  
  
        // Describe when the commands should be scheduled.  
        this.autonomousCommand = new Driveforward(drivetrain);  
  
        operatorGamepad.xButton.whenPressed(new RaiseArmUp(arms));  
        operatorGamepad.aButton.whenPressed(new LowerArmDown(arms));  
        operatorGamepad.leftBumper.whileHeld(new IntakePowercells(powerCellHandler));  
        operatorGamepad.rightBumper.whileHeld(new ReleasePowercells(powerCellHandler));  
        operatorGamepad.getDualButton(operatorGamepad.backButton, operatorGamepad.startButton)  
            .whileHeld(new Runclimber(climber));  
        arms.setDefaultCommand(new RaiseArmUp(arms));  
        drivetrain.setDefaultCommand(new DriveAsTank(drivetrain, driverGamepad.leftYAxis, driverGamepad.rightYAxis,  
            driverGamepad.rightAnalogTrigger));  
        SmartDashboard.putData("Reset Climber", new Resetclimber(climber));  
    }  
  
    public Command getAutonomousCommand() {  
        return this.autonomousCommand;  
    }  
}
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public class Arms extends SubsystemBase {  
  
    PWMVictorSPX armMotor = new PWMVictorSPX(Constants.armMotorPWM);  
  
    public Arms() {}  
  
    public void moveUp() {  
        this.armMotor.set(Tuner.getPowerToMoveArm());  
    }  
  
    public void moveDown() {  
        this.armMotor.set(-1 * Tuner.getPowerToMoveArm());  
    }  
  
    public void holdUp() {  
        this.armMotor.set(Tuner.getPowerToHoldUpArm());  
    }  
  
    public void holdDown() {  
        this.armMotor.set(-1 * Tuner.getPowerToHoldDownArm());  
    }  
}
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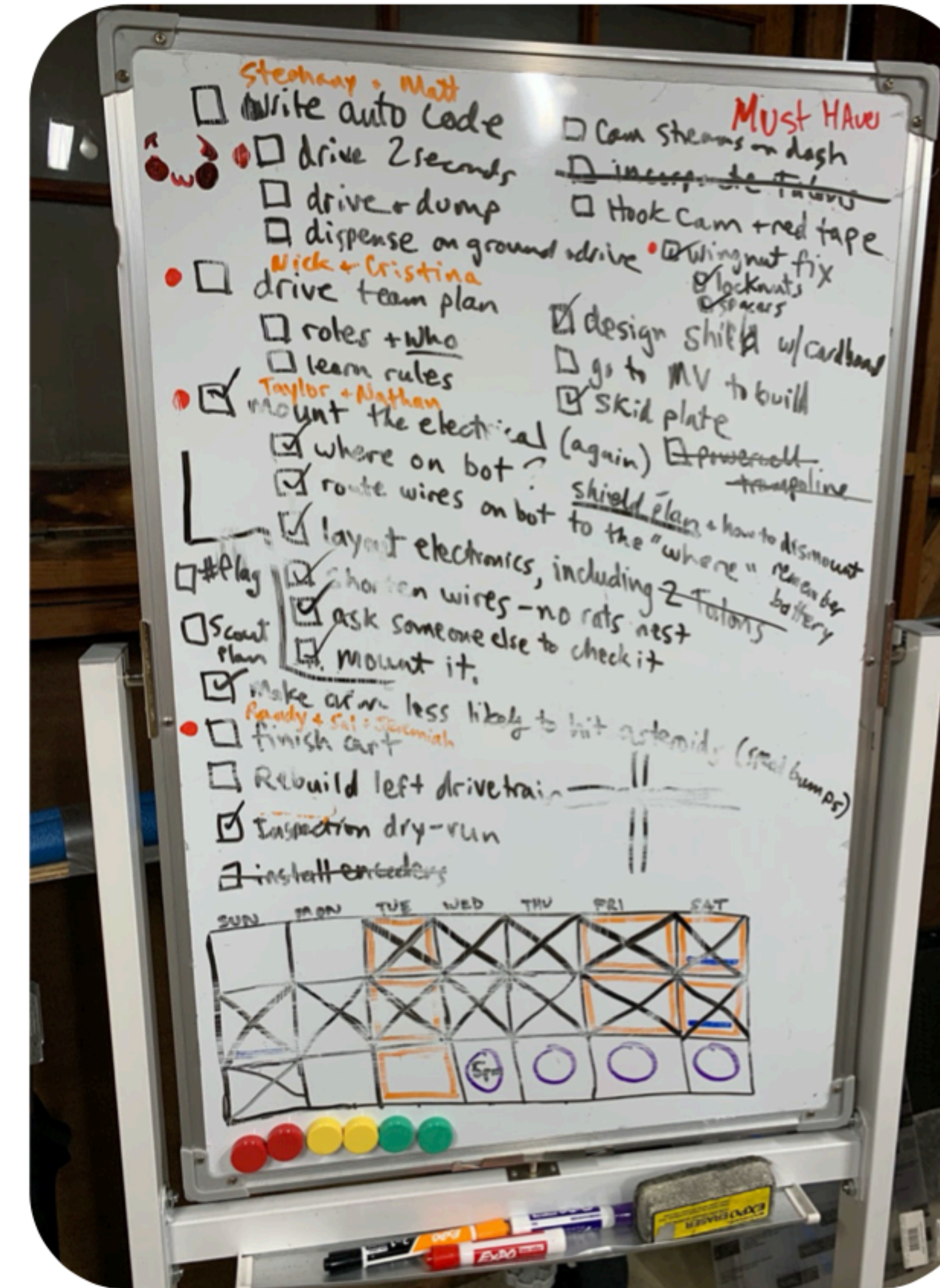
# Capabilities/Process

## Our robot can:

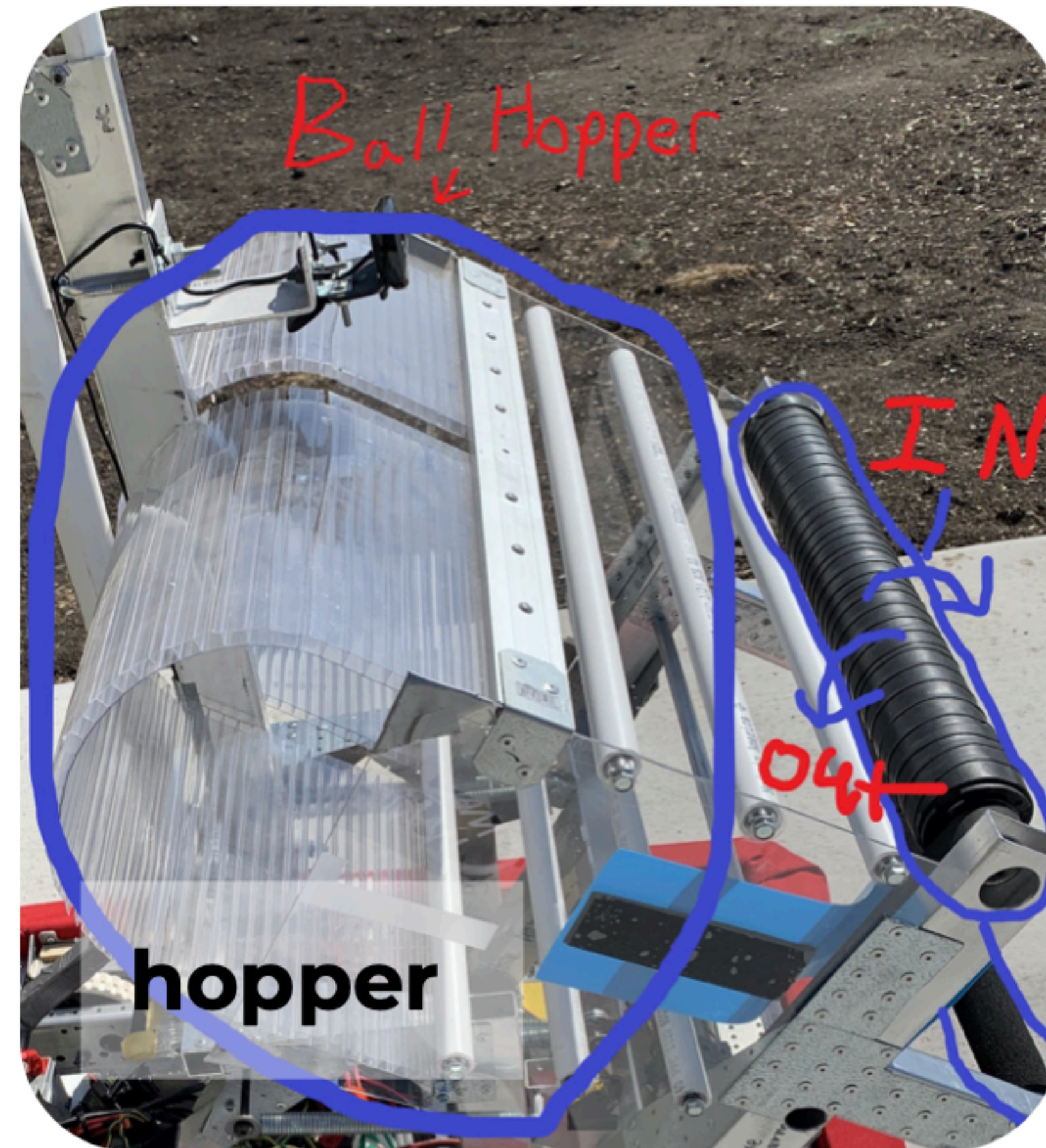
- Pick up and store power cells
- Score lower goal
- Defend
- Climb

## The process:

- Created sub groups w/ leads
- Delegated different parts
- Prioritize important tasks







# The Features

- **Ball intake**
  - Rotating taped roller that intakes ball into ball hopper and dispenses into goal
- **Ball hopper**
  - Container for collected power cells that are then shot out
- **Arm mechanism**
  - Raises hopper/roller up and down
  - Holds up ball hopper and intake being able to rotate it up and down
  - To fit max dimensions

# The Features - Cont.

- **Hanging mechanism**

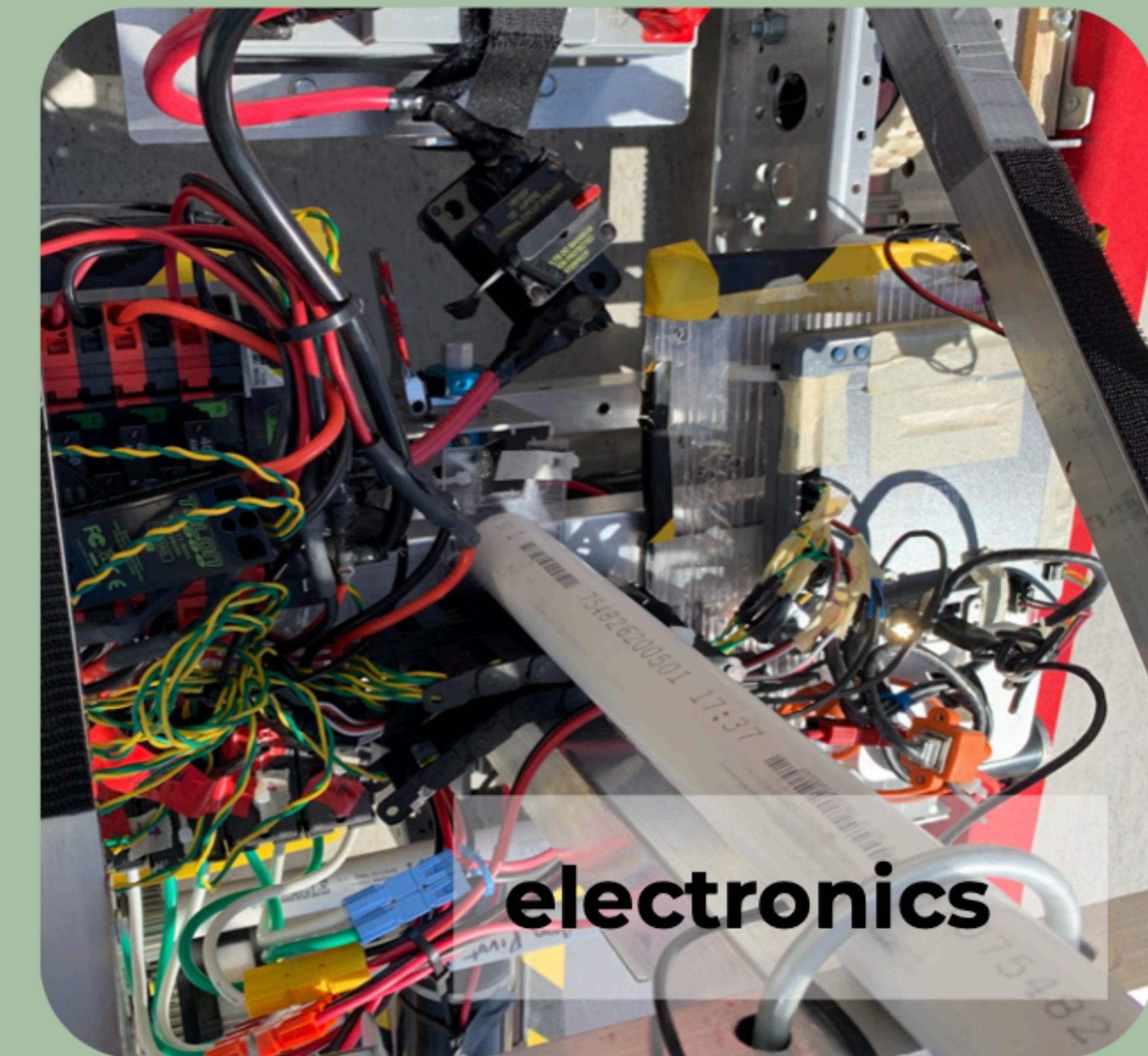
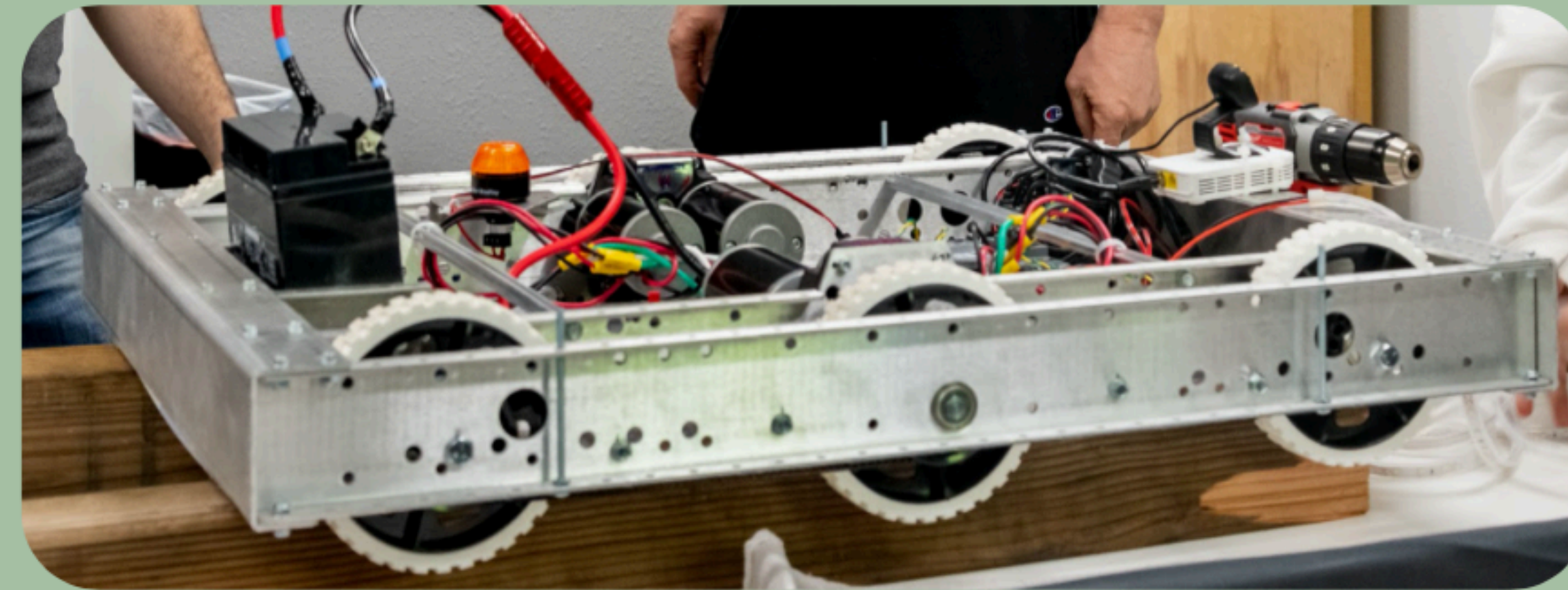
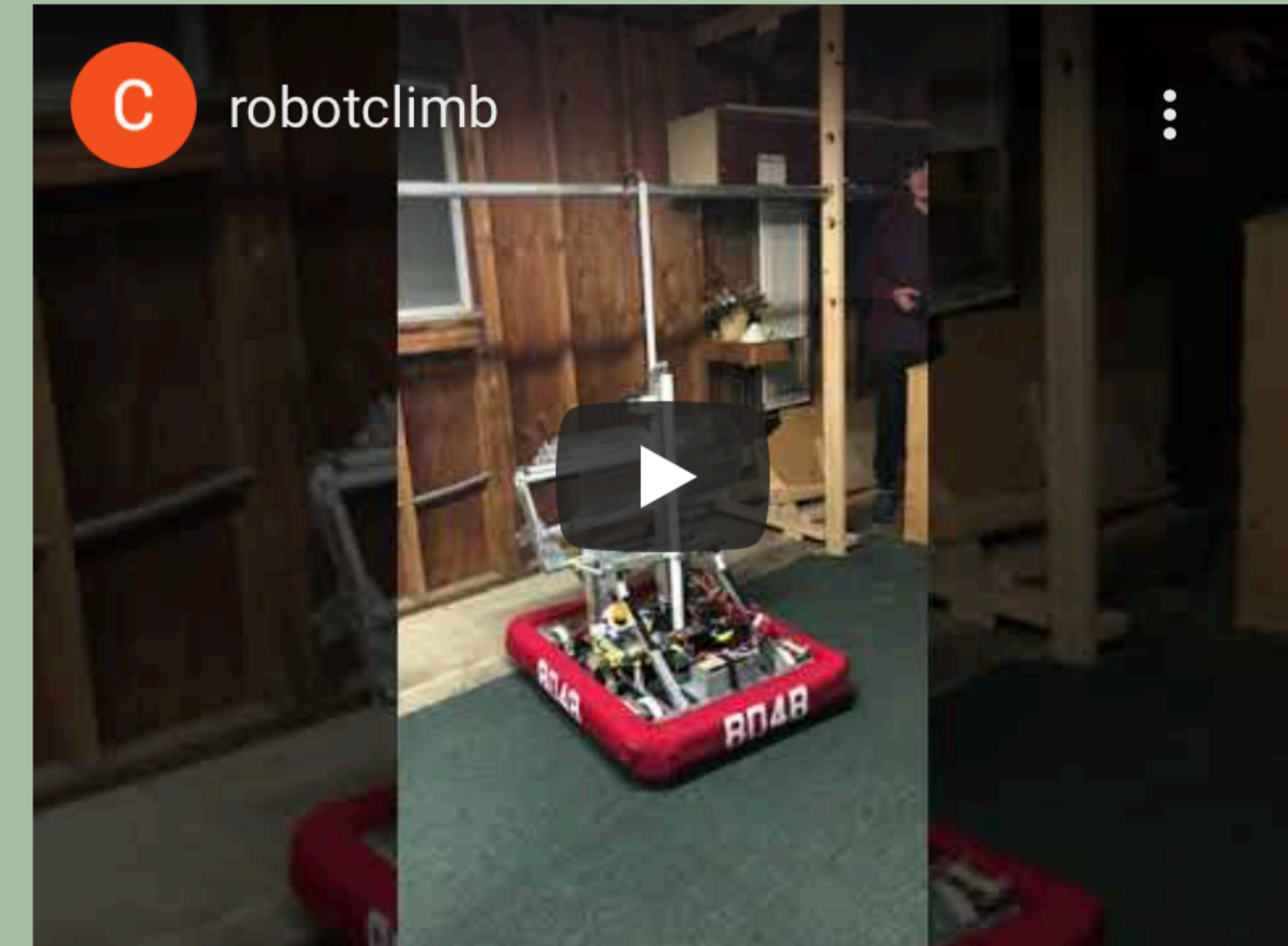
- A latch that raises when activated. Can pull up the robot off the floor when
  - latched onto switch

- **Electronics**

- Wireless router connected to driver station
- roboRIO controller: runs code to operate robot/runs interfaces
- Interface runs motor controllers and sensors
- Power distribution panel
- Safety features

- **Drive train**

- Includes:
  - Two drive motors per side
  - Two drive belt per side
  - One gearbox per side
  - Three driven wheels per side with the center two wheels dropped lower than the rest (westcoast drive)



# Thank You

