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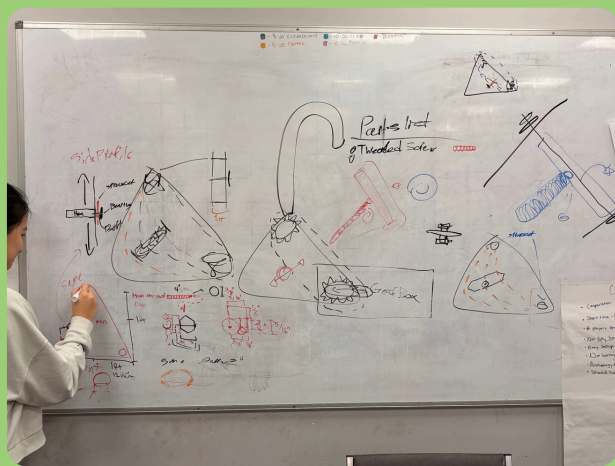
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TEAM 6978

Thank you for all your support of our team! Without your sponsorship, this build season would not be possible. Here is what we have been working on over the past week.

Keeping Busy

As we anxiously await the new season, Our CAD team has been practicing designing an arm with an adjustable joint, making great progress outlining their ideas on whiteboards and then transferring them onto Onshape.



Programming

Our programming team has been practicing re-coding our 2025 robot, focusing on the different mechanisms that we use, such as our swerve drive, coral intake, lift, and arm. Our build team has been focused on organizing the workspace, and taking inventory so we can order new parts for the new season.

Preparing for Kickoff

Our team is going to be meeting on January 10th at the shop for kickoff, and we are all buzzing with excitement! Today we have welcomed several new members just in time for the new season, and we are showing them everything to do with FRC! We are looking into getting a new 3D printer for the team, and we recently also got a CNC machine! A member of our CAD team designed a plexi-glass box to protect the machine, which our build team then created.



Community Support

Shoutout to the Friesen Family for their generous donation of new laptops to the team!!