What is Buggy?
The first Sweepstakes began during Campus Week on April 21, 1920. The teams participated in “The greatest, wildest, jazziest, most blood-curdling, heart-stopping, breath-stopping, scream-stopping event on Tech campus.” By the second year, nearly two-thousand people gathered to watch the student teams compete in what would become an annual competition that is as important to CMU’s culture today as it was one hundred years ago. And that spirit has been strong enough to endure hardships, pandemics, and world wars.

Buggy is our celebration of a collaboration between the arts, the sciences, the humanities, and athletics. This is our celebration of a collaboration between students, faculty, staff, alumni, and the larger world. This is where we celebrate working together towards a common goal.

Nuts, Bolts, & Wheels: 100+ Years of Buggy is a celebration of those students—past, present, and future.