

Club/Activity: Board Game and Dungeons and Dragon Club

Advisor: Mr. Kane Rm 118

Meetings: Media Center Mondays 2:30—5. D & D 2:30-4

Description: All students are welcome to come and try out a variety of board games! Try out new games, bring a friend and meet new people!

D & D: Fun role playing and epic adventures. Groups of 4-7 other students take on various quests over the year. Students create their own characters and lead them through trials and tribulations using 5th edition D & D.

Club/Activity: Student Council

Advisor: Mrs. Cardinal

Meetings: 1st Wednesday of the Month, 7:10 PM, Room A150

Description: To establish closer cooperation between the faculty and the students; to develop good citizenship, scholarship, leadership, service and human values; To promote school spirit; to provide democratic school government through representation and involvement of the student body in school affairs; to improve the general welfare of the school and the community. Elections held in May of the previous school year.

Club/Activity: Theater Acting/Set Design

Advisor: Mr. White

Meetings: Determined by musical and play schedule

Description: Musical theater acting and set design productions Start in December and end in March. Dramatic theater and set design productions start in October and end in November.

Club/Activity: Machine Technology Club Skills USA

Advisor: Mr. Clark

Meetings: During class time

Description: Students go on field trips to different companies that are involved in the manufacturing sector. This opens the door to early job placement and employment opportunities after graduation. Part production for outside vendors. Holiday dinners, guest speakers, prizes and hats, "treats". Skills dues.

Club/Activity: Upward Bound

Advisor: Mr. Hartzell

Meetings: Every Wednesday, 2:30-5:30 PM, Media Center

Description: Provides fundamental support to participants in their preparation for college entrance. Upward Bound serves: high school students from low-income families; and high school students from families in which neither parent holds a bachelor's degree.

Club/Activity: Video Club

Advisor: Mr. Grimsley

Meetings: Thursdays after school in TV Studio

Description: Students will create videos/DVDs for school activities throughout the year. Students will also help run the video and music for the scoreboard during basketball and volleyball games and contribute to the morning announcements.

Athletics

Fall Sports

Cheerleading
Cross Country
Football
Golf
Boys Soccer
Girls Soccer
Girls Tennis
Volleyball

Winter Sports

Boys Basketball
Girls Basketball
Cheerleading
Diving
Boys Swimming
Girls Swimming
Wrestling

Spring Sports

Baseball
Softball
Boys Tennis
Boys Track
Girls Track

For additional information contact:

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Clubs & Activities



Why Participate?

Extracurricular activities, such as sports, drama, music, and various clubs, are an important part of the educational experience of many students. Studies find that children who participate in these activities are more successful academically than those who don't.

Extracurricular activities offer many benefits. The chance to excel in the arts or in sports, for example, can make a huge difference in self-esteem. Many extracurricular activities teach real-world skills which can lead to lifelong interests, even careers. They also learn teamwork and leadership skills that may be even more important in the long run than some of the academic subjects they study.

Extracurricular activities also play a role in reducing drug and alcohol use and irresponsible sexual activity in teens, especially those who otherwise would be on their own after school. It's not only a matter of keeping the kids busy. The self-esteem and sense of purpose that children can get from serious involvement in extracurricular activities may help raise their aspirations and give them a reason to say "no" to risky behaviors.

As important as the activities themselves are the relationships young people can build with the committed adults who direct the activities. It is often the presence of this sort of supportive relationship, either with parents or with another adult that makes the difference between success in life and later unemployment or even legal problems.

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Club/Activity: Academic Challenge

Advisor: Ms. Turley

Meetings: See Ms. Turley for dates & times

Description: Compete against other schools on topics such as science, arts, literature, history and trivia. Some competitions will be televised.

Club/Activity: Bonnie Myers College Access

Advisor: Mr. Hartzell

Meetings: Room 224. Weds. 2:30

Description: A college access program that provides students with support in all areas of the college-going process including: career/interest awareness, college searches, standardized test preparation, financial aid, and scholarships. Students in the program are also exposed to several different colleges through on campus visits. All BHS students in grades 9-12 are encouraged to participate in the program.

Club/Activity: Business Professionals of America

Advisor: Mrs. Ledman

Meetings: During Business Management class

Description: Business Professionals of America is the leading CTSO (Career Technical Student Organization) for students pursuing careers in business management, office administration, information technology and other related career fields. Members are comprised of Business Management and Cooperative Education students.

Club/Activity: TAC Teens Against Cancer

Advisor: Mrs. Weeks

Meetings: Room 107 Thursdays @ 2:35

Description: TAC organizes a wide variety of events throughout the year to raise cancer awareness and fund-raise for different organizations including Barberton Relay for Life.

Club/Activity: Bulldoze Bullying

Advisor: Mrs. Ritz

Meetings: Room 163

Description: Teens raising bullying awareness and prevention.

Club/Activity: Key Club

Advisor: Mr. Barnwell

Meetings: Every Friday, 7:15 AM, Room A217

Description: A volunteer organization affiliated with the Kiwanis Clubs of Barberton. Activities include, but are not limited to, the Pancake breakfast over Labor Day, Rose Delivery for Kiwanis in October, the Salvation Army Thanksgiving Dinner, Christmas Walk of Barberton, Christmas Wrapping for the Salvation Army, and Teacher Karaoke.

Club/Activity: World Language Club

Advisor: Mrs. Boyd

Meetings: Room 228. See Mrs. Boyd for dates and times

Description: Language Club plans social and cultural activities related to any world language.

Club/Activity: Math Club

Advisor: Mrs. Curry

Meetings: Every other Thursday, 7:20 AM, Room A120

Description: Math Club participates in math contests throughout the year. They offer Family Math Night and offer student tutoring. Fundraisers are held to pay for contests, club t-shirts, and the end of the year event (usually Cedar Point). Math Club also donates to the McMannes Scholarship.

Club/Activity: Origami Club

Advisor: Mr. Waseman

Meetings: See Mr. Waseman for dates & times. Room 119

Description: Origami Club explores the relationships between Mathematics, Art and Paper folding. Origami Club provides times for students to meet with their peers and create paper mementos of the seasons. Annual Club Projects include Origami Christmas Wreaths for local nursing homes, Valentines Day Hearts, and Mother's Day Bouquets.

Club/Activity: Art Club

Advisor: Mr. White and Mrs. Riffel

Meetings: Fridays from 3-4

Art club will work on many activities including: Mural for Lock Three, painted bins around Lake Anna, school musical set, Art shows at Nine Muses and ACoT, Tri Arts Festival at BHS, and various other art and community projects.

Club/Activity: BHS Teen Institute

Advisor: Zachary Miley (Prevention Specialist fom Community Health Center) contact Ms. Spicer

Meetings:

Description: TI is a leadership club open to students 9-12 that emphasizes the importance of being drug free and making healthy decisions. Students are encouraged to promote being drug free to improve their school environment.

Club/Activity: Science Club

Advisor: Mrs. Monk

Meetings: Room 214 2nd Tues each month @2:30

Description: Science Club is open to all students with an interest in science. The club participates in hands-on lab experiments, demonstrations, events, guest speakers and other activities

Club/Activity: Ski Club

Advisor: Mrs. Damm

Meetings: See Mrs. Damm for dates & times. Room 111

Description: You do not need to know how to ski or snowboard and you do not need your own equipment to join Ski Club. Lessons, equipment and transportation to the resort are provided as part of your membership. Learn new skills and make new friends! Join us starting the first Thursday after Christmas Break for a season of fun in the snow at Brandywine Ski Resort!