

CLUBS 2019-2020

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| Aquilo | Mr. Maciejewski | B213 | Mondays | 3:00 p.m. | All students who are interested in writing or art and would like to participate in activities connected with both. | To produce a magazine that publishes literature, art and music created by our students and to get feedback on current writing and artistic endeavors. To promote writing and art contests and to encourage publication beyond North H.S. |
| Art Club | Mr. Nice | C103 | Wednesday | 3:00 pm | All interested students | The purpose of this club is to provide any interested students with an opportunity to experience and be involved in the visual arts in a variety of ways, as well as promote the artistic value and creativity within Williamsville North High School. |
| Astronomy Club | Mr. Percy | Planetarium | Every other Tuesday or Thursday | 3:00 p.m. | Open to all | This club will meet to discuss celestial topics and recent news that pertains to astronomy, using the Planetarium as a vehicle for exhibiting the topics of interest. |
| Biology Honor Society | Mr. Kaputa | | | | | |
| Book Club (AOL) | Ms. Lamberth | B213 | Every 3 rd Friday of the month | 3:00 p.m. | Any 9-12 students interested in independent reading. | The purpose of this club is providing a venue for students who enjoy reading and discuss literary works within the group setting. The Reading Club seeks to explore and expand on the joy of reading a good book. |
| Chess Club | Mr. Roca | A206 | Friday | 3:00-4:00 p.m. September-May | Open to all students. | Strategies and game play. |
| Computer Club | Mrs. Reoon Mrs. Johnson | B118 | Monday or Tuesday | 3:00-4:00 pm | Open to all students. | The purpose of this club is to experience computer science first hand by creating games and apps, learning new languages, and playing with technology. |

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| Cultural Awareness | L. Barnes-Oberther | TBA | TBA | TBA | | Cultural Awareness is a club that celebrates the racial, religious, economic and lifestyle diversity that we experience at North High School. This club works to promote understanding and learning of each other through a variety of different ways. |
| DECA | Mr. Balsdon | A244 | One or two times a month | Afterschool 3:00 p.m. | Open to any student enrolled in any business course. | Enables students with a common interest in marketing, management and leadership to have the experience of the business world and to learn new leadership skills. Fundraisers, community services, projects, more. |
| Donate Life | Ms. Cusenz Mrs. Zawada | | | | | |
| Drama Club | Mrs. Dolan Ms. Twarog | B219 | Thursdays | 3:00-4:00 pm | Open to everyone. All students are invited to join the club. | Each year, the Drama Club sponsors a fall production. Drama workshops are offered, and students have the opportunity to go on field trips, and see live performances of both amateur and professional theatre. In the spring, the club participates in North's student run "Spring Medley". Students are encouraged to learn about, as well as to participate in, all aspects of the theatre, from directing to acting to writing to working behind the scenes. Members do not need to have any acting skills – just a willingness to have fun! |
| Dungeons and Dragons | Ms. Hughes | B236 | Fridays | 3:00 p.m. | Anyone interested | Whether you are an experienced D & D player or just want to learn you can come and play. |

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| Entrepreneurship Club | Mrs. Kruszynski | A108 | T.B.A. | After School | Students who have taken or are taking Entrepreneurship Class. | To teach students to plan and execute all functions related to the operation of our student coffee shop, THE HOT SPOT. |
| Film Club | Mr. Butke Mr. Sherry | B219 | TBA Twice Monthly | 3:00 p.m. | All interested students. | Introducing members to a wide variety of film in order to bolster their own awareness and interests, and providing members the opportunity to critically discuss film with fellow enthusiasts. |
| First Priority | Mrs. Burke | C129 | Tuesdays | 3:00 p.m. | Anyone Interested | Through weekly meetings the First Priority Club provides opportunities for students to grow in christian knowledge and faith. Fellowship, bible study and prayer are integral components of this club's weekly activities along with faith based activities. |
| French Club | Mrs. Boebel | A234 | Meet Before School | | Students Interested in French. | To explore the French Language and Culture. Activities include French breakfasts and dinner at a French restaurant. |
| <u>Freshman</u> President: Vice-President Treasurer: Secretary: Historians: | Mrs. Cusenz, Mrs. Rautenstrauch Savannah Penetrante Lilly Palumbo Lina Brown Ella Johel Isabella Lin Abbey Gavadin | T.B.A. | T.B.A. | T.B.A. | Any student of the Class of 2023. Must help and participate in activities. | Our freshman class plans activities and events to unite the Class of 2023. Our goal is to support and partake in all school activities. |
| Gay Straight Alliance | Mrs. Lorenz | A202 | Tuesdays (Except for the 1 st Tuesday of the month) | Afterschool | Open to all students. | The GSA club provides a safe and supporting environment for LGBTQA+students and their allies. Members participate in a number of social, educational and activism related activities and events throughout the year. The club works to promote inclusive school and community environments. Everyone is welcome to attend. |

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| German Club | Mrs. Jacobson-Miller | A202 | Varies | Afterschool | All students interested in German culture. | To explore German culture by celebrating German Holidays (Oktober Fest, St. Martin, etc.), playing German games, participating in Bundesliga Total (online soccer competition), listening to German pop music, watching German movies, “Kaffee und Kuchen” social. |
| German National Honor Society | Mrs. Jacobson-Miller | A202 | Varies | Afterschool | Students must have an 85 overall average and a 90 average in German. | To increase knowledge of the German Language and culture by providing tutors for other German students, organizing activities to promote involvement in German Club, culminating with the induction ceremony of new members. |
| Girl Up | Ms. Calandra | B231 | Every other Thursday | 3:00-4:00 pm | | UN sponsored foundation with the goal of raising awareness of the issues faced by females around the world. There are local and community outreach school initiatives. |
| Inter High Advisory Council | Mrs. Davidson Mrs. Rosa | A234 | September – May | Vary (During school day) | 12 students (12 members) will represent North H.S. | The Council works with the Superintendent to discuss the various issues affecting the three schools. In addition they also host other events that bring together the students from the three high schools. |
| Japanese Club | Mrs. Kirk | B126 | Monday | 3:00 p.m. | Anyone interested | To learn more about Japanese Culture and promote interest in Japanese Animation and Manga. Activities include Manga Contests, Dance-Dance Revolution, viewing Animation Films and sampling Japanese foods. |
| Jazz Band Jazz Ensemble | Mr. Conte Mr. McCluskey | Auditorium | Twice a week | Before school | Audition based. Prerequisite to be enrolled in the band program. | Both groups study and practice a variety of music in the jazz genre and perform four times a year. |
| Jewish Student Union | Mrs. Recoon | T.B.A. | Once per month | T.B.A. | Anyone interested | Discuss and celebrate Jewish Holidays and the Jewish culture. |

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| <u>Junior Class</u> President: Vice-President: Treasurer: Secretary: Historians: | C. Carroll, G. Tringali Jacob Mentkowski Erin Fairbrother Saul Myers Minchae Kim Varun Kumar Makayla Kulikowski | T.B.A. | T.B.A. | T.B.A. | Any student of the Class of 2021. Must help and participate <i>in</i> activities. | Raise money for Junior and Senior Proms and class activities. To encourage Juniors to become involved in Homecoming, charity work, and other school and class activities. |
| K-Pop | Ms. Rosa | A207 | TBA | 3:00 p.m. | Anyone Interested | K-Pop Club or Korean Pop Culture is a club which explores the dance, songs, culture as well as the language itself. We are a group to promote and inform people of the K-Pop wave that's rapidly expanding around the world. We welcome everyone and anyone interested to join. |
| LEAP | Ms. Kuebler | | 2:50 p.m. | Thursdays. Every other week. | Any interested student. | Educate students regarding current environmental issues so they can plan and implement school based activities, ex. making blankets and recycled art. Involvement in community and school recycling in our school will be a focus this year. |
| Link Crew | Mrs. Tuttle Mr. Young | Junior Cafeteria | Once a month | | 10 th and 11 th graders apply in May | Students train two mandatory dates, then lead freshmen and transfer upper classmen through orientation activities in large and small groups. Monthly meetings are optional; continued communication throughout the year is encouraged. There are opportunities to be a guide at open house, parent/teacher conferences and for 8 th grade parent/student presentation night. |
| Marching Band | Mr. Conte Mr. Vertoske | Auditorium | T.B.A. | T.B.A. | Students enrolled in the band program. | Performs at the annual Williamsville Memorial Day Parade. |

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| Men's Choir | Mr. Young | C130 | Mondays or Fridays | Monday Afterschool/ Friday Before School | Students Interested in Singing | This ensemble is available to any lower-range singer who wants to sing and have a good time. Songs included are from multiple artists such as Billy Joel and the Pentatonix. Other curricular ensembles such as Mixed Chorus, Choraleers and Concert Choir are also available. |
| Mock Trial | Mrs. Robertson | | | | | |
| Model UN | Ms. Cardinale | T.B.A. | Varies | Varies | Any interested student. | The Model U.N. Club represents different nations of the world at Security Council and General Assembly competitions at the local, regional, and national levels. Resolutions on current foreign affairs topics are researched, and then debated at each of these events. |
| Musical | Mrs. Cavanagh Mr. Conte | T.B.A. | T.B.A. | T.B.A. | By audition | The school musical is usually performed during March. Includes cast, crew, orchestra, ushers and staff. |
| Music Discovery | Mrs. Burke | C129 | Fridays | 3:00-4:00 p.m. | Open to all students | The purpose of this club is to facilitate meeting new friends and discover a variety of new music. |
| Muslim Student Association | Ms. Walwyn | | | | | |

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| Ping Pong | Mrs. Kruszynski | Freshmen Cafeteria | Fridays End of Nov. Thru end of March | 3:00 p.m. | Anyone | Ping Pong Competition |
| School Newspaper | Mrs. Carney | B208 | Every Tuesday | 3:00 p.m. | Anyone interested in writing news or feature articles. | To facilitate school community communication and to provide a vehicle for student expression on a variety of topics from news to features and from entertainment to editorials. |
| Science Honor Society | Mrs. Thuman | | | | | |
| Science Olympiad | Mrs. Boucher Mrs. Thuman | B145 | Thursdays | 3:00 p.m. | Anyone interested in Science. | The Science Olympiad Team competes in the Regional, State and National Science Olympiad competitions consisting of 24 events involving design and construction of equipment, scientific experiments and a knowledge of the sciences. Since it's formation in 1986, our Science Olympiad Team has been one of the most successful in WNY. |

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| <u>Senior Class</u> President: Vice-President: Treasurer: Secretary: Historians: | L. Barnes Dario Tringali Chloe Hudecki Nicholas Masi Kellie Colville Cole Pennella Jacob Schlau | | | | Any student of the Class of 2020. Must help and participate in activities. | Raise money for class activities and to encourage seniors to participate in such activities. |
| <u>Sophomore</u> President: Vice-President: Treasurer: Secretary: Historians: | C. Davidson, S.Zawada Ryan Bailey Jahvon Thorton David Su Corrine Meldrum Joseph McLean Maya Burgio | T.B.A. | T.B.A. | T.B.A. | Any student of the Class of 2022. Must help and participate in school activities. | To raise money for the Class of 2022. To encourage all Sophomores to become involved in the activities at North H.S. and boost the spirits of all fellow sophomores. |
| Sources of Strength | Mrs. Beaudet Mrs. DeVantier | B217 | Monthly or as needed | Mods 5 or 6 | | Sources of Strength promotes positive change through accessing the eight pillars (or pieces of the pie): family support, mental health, medical access, mentors, healthy activities, positive friends, generosity, and spirituality. The goal is to help the North community tap into their Sources of Strength when times are difficult. |
| Spanish Club | Mr. Roca | A206 | Varies | Afterschool | Anyone interested in the Spanish Language and culture. | To promote a deeper understanding of Spanish culture and instill a feeling of fellowship among Spanish students. Activities include sampling authentic Spanish food, celebrating Spanish holidays, seeing Spanish movies, etc. |
| Spartones (Swing Choir/Select Chorus) | Mr. Young | C130 | Twice a week | Before school | Auditions afterschool, September 16 th -20 th | This ensemble performs arrangements of contemporary pieces by various artists from The Beatles to Michael Jackson. Other curricular ensembles such as Mixed Chorus, Choraleers, and Concert Choir are also available. |

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| Spartan Math and Science Development Program | Ms. Kuebler | | | | | |
| Stage Crew | Mr. Percy | Auditorium | Varies | Varies | Students are taught sound, lighting, grip, and electronics theory in a series of clinics, and are then tested for eligibility. | Maintain and set up the auditorium for assemblies, plays and the musical and possibly work paid shows. |
| Stock Market Investment Club | Mrs. Kruszynski | A110 | Once/twice per month | 3:00 p.m. | Anyone interested | Students get to take their first look at the stock market as they become participants in a “real life” simulation of investment in our financial system. Participants will compete against other teams from all over the state as they invest an initial \$100,000.00 in common stock. Most participation is online and does not require attending weekly meetings. |
| Student Council | Mrs. Wolfe President: Lauren Terry VP of Student Activities: Grady Andrews VP of Adm: Kelsey Meldrum VP of Public Relations: Andy Seo Secretary: Maddy Peck Treasurer: Angelo Seo | B103 | Once or twice per month | 7:15 a.m. or 2:50 p.m. | Open to anyone in school with required participation to continue membership. | To act as a forum for discussion of those concerns impacting upon the student body. As such, student council facilitates North’s Annual Leadership Camp. Our significant activities are homecoming week, pep assemblies, Kids Night Out, Winter Dance, Spartan Canned Food Drive and the Katie Ozog Memorial Rummage Sale. |
| Video Game Club | Mr. Covelli | | | | | |
| Technology Student Association (TSA) | Ms. Corio Mr. Kaufman | C161 | Tuesdays | 3:00-3:45 p.m. | Anyone interested in Technology and Engineering. | The Technology Student Association competes in regional, state and national TSA competitions consisting of various events in hands-on problem solving, CAD, robotics, design and construction and more! |

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| Yearbook | Mrs. DeVantier Mrs. Beaudet | B205-207 | Tuesdays | 2:50 p.m. | Any 9-12 grade students with an interest in any and all aspects of publication. | To produce a yearbook as a review of school life. |

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