

Logansport High School Clubs 2017 – 2018

Academic Super Bowl

Sponsors – Mrs. Sharp, Mr. Hole, Mr. Bever, Mrs. Groff, Miss Daugherty, Mrs. Harmon, Mrs. Harris

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$15 (for shirt)

Membership – Open to all students to compete and fill team

Meetings – Each coach and team set a practice for one time a week

Academic Super Bowl covers a different topic every year. Example 2017 is “The French Revolution.” We have 6 teams who compete over this topic. We have the following teams: English, Fine Arts, Math, Science, Social Studies, and Interdisciplinary. We compete in scrimmages with conference teams and a variety of invitationals. We host a scrimmage every year. We start practice in October and compete from February through May.

Anime Club

Sponsor – Mrs. Gaier

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$0

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings - Monthly

At our monthly meetings, the Anime Club watches episodes from anime movies or television shows. Episodes are chosen by club vote. Students who are interested in drawing in the anime style have the opportunity to practice and receive feedback and drawing tips from peers and Mrs. Gaier.

Art and Photography Club

Sponsor – Mrs. Werner

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$5.00

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – Once a month

The Art and Photography Club is a student-run club that plans various art and photography related events throughout the year. Students often will complete various different projects or crafts.

Berry Buddies

Sponsor – Ms. McLochlin, Mr. Fewell

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$0

Membership – Open to all

Meetings – Monthly

The purpose of the Berry Buddies is to unite general education students and special needs students with the goal of making new friends, becoming more involved with the student body, and providing mentoring opportunities. The club will involve buddying up with a special needs student, occasionally meeting with them during the school day for peer tutoring, and participating in fun activities with them (LHS events such as plays & sporting events, bowling, movies, etc.).

Book Club

Sponsors – Mrs. Minks, Ms. Steele, Ms. Shideler

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$2.00 plus participation in February fundraiser

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – Every third Wednesday after school in the LHS Library during the school year

Members choose the books we read and help plan additional activities and group get-togethers for each book, facilitate discussion, and participate in a yearly fundraiser to purchase books. Book Club also seeks to encourage literacy in our school, raising enough money to sponsor an all-school read two years in a row. Members also engage in service learning activities such as reading to the elderly at Chase Center and other service related activities. Students enjoy interacting with a group of readers who love a book as much as they do.

Book Club has a Christmas party, End-of-Year bonfire at Mrs. Minks' house, various informal gatherings in addition to scheduled meetings.

Chinese Club

Sponsors – Mrs. Lin, Mrs. Guan

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - Free

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – once each month in E213

Chinese Club welcomes all students who are interested in learning Chinese culture. In Chinese Club meetings, you will be learning how to cook simple Chinese food, make traditional Chinese crafts, watch

Chinese movies, sing Chinese songs, or do traditional Chinese dances. Every year Chinese Club will go to Indianapolis to participate in the Chinese Fair and Chinese Competition. Please come join us!

Class Activities/Officers

Sponsors – Ms. St. Clair (12), Mrs. Scott (11), Mrs. Cook (10), Mrs. Gaumer and Mrs. Karnafel (9)

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$0

Membership – Every student is automatically a member of a class and eligible to participate in a variety of extra-curricular activities. There are also opportunities for leadership positions as elected officers.

Various activities associated with each class. Events throughout the year will include class fundraisers and service projects. Class officers also participate in a Leadership Felix class once a week during the school day.

Diversity Club

Sponsors –Mr. Cripe, Mrs. Banuelos-Cortes, Mrs. Ponce, Mrs. Castro, Mrs. Madson, Mrs. Benz

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$5.00

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – First Thursday of each month right after school in Lecture Hall G113

The purpose of Diversity Club is also to celebrate all forms of diversity. We believe that it does not matter who you are or what you believe in, you are still entitled to live a great life without being discriminated against, stereotyped, or judged. The goal of this club is to move people to understand and accept everyone for who they are, fundraisers, community service projects, make new friends. This club is dedicated to universal respect including, but not limited to, minorities such as those of race, religion, gender identity, sexual orientation, mental or physical handicap, nationality, appearance, and financial status. We welcome all who are willing to make a statement for what they believe.

LHS Diversity Club participates in Live United, McKinney House, Food/Clothes Drives, Salvation Army Bell, Ivy Tech Events, YMCA, and more.

Drama Club

Sponsor – Mr. Kinney

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$1.00

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – Usually during Felix Period

The Drama Club is a group of students responsible for presenting the Winter Fantasy Musical and the Spring Straight Play each year.

Students will present the Winter Fantasy on November 18-19-20, 2016.

Economics Club

Sponsor – Mr. Urban

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$10.00

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – Once a month

The purpose of Economics Club is to allow students the opportunity to look at different investment options, participate in the stock market challenge, and grow in community awareness of our local economy. Students will work with local organizations from the Chamber of Commerce, Cass County Community Foundation, and other local groups that have an impact on our community. We want to give students the opportunity to experience different investment and business opportunities.

Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA)

Sponsor – Mr. Wiederhoeft

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$5.00

Membership – Open to all students, not just athletes

Meetings – Every Wednesday morning at 7:30 a.m. in Room F123

Fellowship of Christian Athletes is an interdenominational organization interested in helping students learn about and grow in their relationship with God. Each meeting consists of a short Student- or teacher-led Bible study with a group discussion afterward.

FCA participates in FCA Game Day (Colts or Pacers game), fall bonfire, service projects, See You at the Pole.

French Club

Sponsor – Mrs. Lin

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$5.00

Membership – No new members!

The French Club is a group of students interested in French language and culture. Students are welcome to participate in our annual activities such as homecoming, Christmas party, and Kings Day festivities.

Fret Club

Sponsor – Mr. Bever

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$0 (fundraising)

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – Weekly on Wednesdays after school; sometimes Thursdays

In Fret Club students can: learn to play the guitar, play music with other students, learn how to cooperate to have a concert (if possible due to scheduling).

Gaming Club

Sponsor – Mr. Kinney

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$0

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – After school on Tuesdays and Thursdays

The Gaming Club provides a chance for all students interested in board games, card games, and/or role-playing games to get together and try out a variety of different games throughout the year.

GSA Club (Gay-Straight Alliance)

Sponsor – Mrs. Graham

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$0

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – After school once or twice monthly, perhaps weekly in Room E212

GSA Club provides LGBTQ students supportive and accepting spaces as well as doing broader organizing work against homophobia and transphobia in school. GSA focuses on support, tolerance, and fellowship, mixed together with healthy education and activism.

Jazz Band

Sponsors – Mr. Boyd

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$0

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – We meet twice a week; Monday evenings and Thursday mornings

We work on popular music of the 20th century, with special emphasis on the great American music called jazz.

We play at concerts and for some other city-wide events.

Key Club

Sponsor – Mr. Jay Jones

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$15.00

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – First Friday of each month at 7:30 a.m. in D007

Key Club is a service-based community service organization sponsored by Kiwanis. Key Club participates in various community service projects that tie back to the community and especially focuses on underprivileged youth in the community.

Key Club participates in the Kiwanis Christmas Party, Leadership Banquet, Back to School Dance and has an annual banquet to reward student leaders at LHS.

Logansport Dance Team

Sponsor – Miss Terrell, Mrs. Curl

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$100 (varies)

Membership – By audition only

Meetings – Practices are daily during class and possible extra times

The Berryettes is a dance team that performs for pre-game and half-time at the high school football games and at the basketball games and pep rallies. In the future, the Berryettes look forward to competing with other high schools throughout the state of Indiana. The Berryettes also take part in volunteering around the community and sponsor the annual Snowball Dance at LHS.

Magpie (newspaper)

Sponsor – Mr. Kimbler

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$0

Membership – Any student wanting to join The Magpie must (1) complete a semester of Journalism and (2) have approval of the advisor

Meetings – Once a day, during class

The Magpie is the Logansport High School student-produced newspaper.

National Honor Society

Sponsor – Ms. Steele

Open to Grades 11-12

Costs/Dues - \$20.00

Membership – Students who apply must have a 3.5 cumulative GPA

Meetings – Once a month during Felix period

The National Honor Society is an organization which recognizes student excellence in the form of scholarship, character, leadership and service.

Pep Club

Sponsor – Mrs. Descoteaux

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$5.00

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – Every other week

The Pep Club is a group of students interested in promoting school spirit at various school activities such as games and matches. The students will decide on the themes for the upcoming events and encourage the other students to participate in cheering on the LHS athletes and promoting school spirit.

Ping Pong Club

Sponsor – Mr. Bever

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$5.00

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – Once a week (Wednesdays from 3:15-4:00 p.m. in Room F127)

The purpose of the LHS Ping Pong Club is to give students the opportunity to play ping pong or learn how to play ping pong in a safe environment.

Prom Committee

Sponsors - Mrs. Gaier

Open to juniors only

Costs/Dues - \$0

Membership – Juniors only

Meetings – As needed in preparation for the prom

This is a group for those juniors that would like to plan the Prom in the spring. This group will choose the theme of the prom, decide on all decorations, sell tickets, and decorate for the prom.

SADD (Students against Destructive Decisions)

Sponsors –Mrs. Combs

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$3.00

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – Twice a month

Students against Destructive Decisions (SADD) is a student run organization designed to give all students the opportunity to meet and socialize with other teens who recognize the importance of positive decision making. As a community, SADD works to advertise the dangers of drug use (including alcohol) and other behaviors that threaten our lives.

SADD participates in prevention activities.

SAFE Club

Sponsors – Mr. Wiederhoeft, Mr. Strickling

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$5.00

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – Tuesdays after school in Room F123

SAFE Club does activities to help the environment. We run the school wide recycling, county recycling, Live United Day, and start the plants for the community garden.

SAFE Club participates in Live United and County Recycling.

Sources of Strength Club

Sponsors – Mrs. Combs, Mrs. Harris

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$0

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – At least once per month

Sources of Strength is a club that advocates for prevention in the schools. The mission of the club is for peer leaders to spread hope, help and strength. Sources of strength include family support, positive friends, mentors, healthy activities, generosity, spirituality, medical access and mental health.

Spanish Club

Sponsor – Ms. St.Clair, Mrs. Cook

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$5.00

Membership – Open to all students interested in Hispanic culture and the Spanish language

Meetings – At least once per month

We celebrate Hispanic culture with food, music, crafts and more.

Speech Team

Sponsors – Mrs. Kranz, Mrs. Pasel, Mrs. Dials

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$75

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – Practices Tuesday and Thursday after school

Speech Team is a team for the performer, talker, researcher, and comedian alike. Our team provides an opportunity for members to master the art of public speaking performance through various events in a competitive setting. Fifteen different events including public address, theatrical interpretive events, limited preparatory events, and student written pieces allow students to find their individual preference for competition. Tournaments take place on Saturdays January-March and are all day events. We are affiliated with the National Speech and Debate Association and the Indiana High School Forensic Association.

The Speech Team has a home meet on February 13, 2016.

Spell Bowl

Sponsor – Mrs. Harmon, Mrs. Harris

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$15 (for shirt)

Membership – Open to all students to compete and fill a team of 20 members

Meetings – Three times a week before and after school

Students practice over 3,500 words each year. Season is from August-November. We compete at a variety of invitationals and host our own invitational each year.

Student Council

Sponsor – Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Werner

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$0

Membership – Open to all students

Meetings – Second Friday of every month at 7:30 a.m. in Room G120

Students from every grade of the high school, including each grade's class officers, work together to promote LHS school spirit, host many events for the LHS student body, and promote student involvement in extra-curricular activities.

Student Council sponsors Class Elections, Homecoming Spirit Week, Senior Homecoming Court, JR/Sr Powderpuff Game, Homecoming Dance, Challenge Bowl, LHS Distinguished Scholars, the Good Citizenship Award, Spring Sports Fest and the Very Merry Best of the Berries Luncheon.

Tattler (yearbook)

Sponsor – Mrs. Myers

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$0

Membership – Any student wanting to join Tattler must (1) complete a semester of Journalism and (2) have approval of the advisor

Meetings – Once a day, during class

The Tattler is the Logansport High School yearbook.

Thespian Troupe

Sponsors – Mr. Kinney, Mr. Fraza

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$24 for membership at induction

Membership – Members are inducted each year into the troupe, usually in the second semester

Meetings – Meetings are held on the third Wednesday of each month

The Thespian Troupe is a group of students who have earned their membership through participation in a variety of theatre-related activities, including performing and technical work. The group attends Thespian State each year, to attend workshops, get information about careers in theater, and to present individual, small group, or large group performance pieces.

The Thespian members will attend Indiana Thespian State January 22-24, 2017.

Travel/Culture Club

Sponsor – Mrs. Sharp

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$10.00

Membership – Anyone interested in traveling and learning about new places

Meetings – Once a month

The purpose of the travel/culture club is to give students, parents, teachers and alumni an opportunity to have educational experiences in Indiana, the United States and around the world. Our travels will expose everyone to a high level of learning and first-hand experiences that are life changing. We will: discuss new places and cultures, learn about budget planning, and travel locally, nationally, or internationally.

The Travel/Culture Club is planning to travel internationally in 2017.

Winter Drumline

Sponsors – Mr. Boyd, Mr. Beckom

Open to Grades 9-12

Costs/Dues - \$0

Membership – By audition only

Meetings – Very often, as needed, and by availability of instructor and participants

These are all percussion students and some assorted others that may play piano/keyboard, as well.