

## 2017-2018 CLUBS & STUDENT GROUPS

Clubs at Blacksburg High School are designed to relate to curriculum, students' needs and student interests. All clubs have a faculty sponsor. There are over 80 clubs for students to choose from. Club dues vary from no dues to \$25.00 depending on whether or not there are state and/or national affiliations for the clubs. The average club dues are \$3.00 to \$5.00 and go to support club activities and service projects. Students should bring dues to the first meeting if interested in a more popular club like Chess Club or Video Game Club since they have limited space and take students on a first come, first served basis.

Clubs will meet 6 times this year. A club preview fair will be held so students can meet with officers and members and find out more about the club. The first club meeting allows students to visit clubs they are interested in to see if they would like to join. Only members can attend club meetings for the remainder of the year. A roster of members is produced for each meeting to that if someone wants to join later in the year and the club is not full, they can be added to the roster.

Study Halls are provided for students who do not go to a club meeting.

Clubs are divided into three club groups for meeting purposes. Students can become a member of different club groups just as long as they meet at different times. A few of our clubs meet after school and their meeting schedule is based on the agenda that the students and the sponsor develop.

Clubs are an excellent opportunity for students to develop their leadership skills and participate in a variety of service projects.

On Club Days we have a schedule that allows Club Group 1, Club Group 2, and Club Group 3 to meet on the same day.

## 2017-2018 CLUB DAYS

Tues., August 29 & Wed., August 30	Club Preview Fair (11:15 am - 1:15 pm)
Thurs., August 31	1st Club Meeting
Wed., September 20	2nd Club Meeting
Thurs., October 12	3rd Club Meeting
Tues., December 12	4th Club Meeting
Thurs., February 8	5th Club Meeting
Wed., March 28	Final Club Meeting

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## 2017-2018 CLUB BELL SCHEDULE

1st Lunch Schedule		2nd Lunch Schedule		3rd Lunch Schedule	
1 <sup>st</sup> Block	8:05 am – 9:00 am	1 <sup>st</sup> Block	8:05 am – 9:00 am	1 <sup>st</sup> Block	8:05 am – 9:00 am
2 <sup>nd</sup> Block	9:05 am – 9:55 am	2 <sup>nd</sup> Block	9:05 am – 9:55 am	2 <sup>nd</sup> Block	9:05 am – 9:55 am
LUNCH 1	9:55 am – 10:25 am	3 <sup>rd</sup> Block	10:00 am – 10:25 am	3 <sup>rd</sup> Block	10:00 am – 10:55 am
3 <sup>rd</sup> Block	10:30 am – 11:25 am	LUNCH 2	10:25 am – 10:55 am	LUNCH 3	10:55 am – 11:25 am
4 <sup>th</sup> Block	11:30 am – 12:20 pm	3 <sup>rd</sup> Block	11:00 am – 11:25 am	4 <sup>th</sup> Block	11:30 am – 12:20 pm
CG1	12:25 pm – 1:10 pm	4 <sup>th</sup> Block	11:30 am – 12:20 pm	CG1	12:25 pm – 1:10 pm
CG2	1:15 pm – 2:00 pm	CG1	12:25 pm – 1:10 pm	CG2	1:15 pm – 2:00 pm
CG3	2:05 pm – 2:50 pm	CG2	1:15 pm – 2:00 pm	CG3	2:05 pm – 2:50 pm
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## 2017 - 2018 CLUBS

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Club Group 1	Club Group 2	Club Group 3	After School
A Better Community (ABC)	ACE/Trivia Club	Anime club	Dazzlers: BHS Dance Team
American Red Cross Club	Acoustic Music	Art Honor Society/Art Guild	Girl Up - Blacksburg High
American Sign Language Club and ASL Honor Society	Airsoft Club	Arts of Care	Help Save the Next Girl
Beta Club	Animal Club	Club Green	Muslim Students Association (MSA)
Biking Club	Archery Club	Cornhole Club	Super Smash Bros. Club
Biology Investigations	Car Club at BHS (CCBHS)	Dance Club	
Black Awareness	Children's Cancer Assoc. (CCA)	DECA Officers Only	
Bruin Pride	Chinese Yoyo Club	Drone Club	
Chess Club	Civic Leaders of Virginia (CLOVA)	Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)	
Christian Fellowship Club	Fantasy Sports Club	FFA	
Creative Writing Club	Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA)	Flannel Club	
DECA	FFA - Officers Only	Foreign Relations Club	
Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)	French Club and French National	Magic the Gathering Club	
Glee Club	Honor Society	National History Day	
	Geek Media	Random Acts of Kindness	

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Habitat for Humanity Hawaiian Club Key Club International Make-A-Wish Club Mentor Club Minecraft Club More Than Robots Operation Smile Ping Pong Science Fiction Club Scrabble Club Skills USA Sports for Charity String & Beads Club Student Knitting Organization Ultimate Frisbee Club Video Game Club Water for Africa	German and German National Honor Society HOSA-Future Health Professionals Heroes 4 Haiti Hispanic Culture Club Interact Club Journalism Club Kahoot Club National Technical Honor Society Nature Club Outdoor Kayak Club Pennies for Peace Relief for Refugees Role Playing Game Club Technology Student Assoc. (TSA) Theatre Arts Association Tri-M (Music Honor Society) Ultimate Frisbee Club	Religious Relations Roots & Shoots Science Olympiad Ski Club Soccer Balls Club Survival Club Yoga Club	
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- Club Rosters are due Thursday, September 14, 2017.
- Sponsors will check roll at each club meeting for attendance. Any student missing at a meeting needs to make arrangements with the sponsor if they are at school the day of the meeting.
- Parents, alumni, members of sponsoring community organizations may assist with Club activities, but must always be under the supervision of the Club sponsor. Please refer to the MCPS Volunteer Manual.

## 2017-2018 BHS Club Descriptions

Club	Description	Sponsor	Location	Meeting	Dues
<b>A Better Community (ABC)</b>	A Better Community Club is a service organization that chooses a new charity to assist each club day. The group's goals would be to help those in need, and to make our community a better place through multiple projects, such as Barbara's Blankets and making toys for the Humane Society. <i>(Established 2012-2013)</i>	<b>Ms. Duff</b>	<b>H311</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$7</b>
<b>ACE/Trivia Club</b>	Members of the club will write questions for and host a Trivia Night to raise money for a charity. <i>(Established 2013-2014)</i>	<b>Mr. Beeken</b>	<b>H231</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Acoustic Music</b>	Play a guitar? Banjo? Fiddle? Didgeridoo? Great! Come join the Acoustic Music Club. We don't plug in ... because we don't have to. <i>(Established 2004-2005)</i>	<b>Mr. Beaver</b>	<b>D224</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>

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<b>Airsoft Club</b>	Airsoft Club Blacksburg gives airsoft enthusiasts, whether they be interested in tech work, getting into the sport, or just planning on going out and having fun, the choice to get together with other players and discuss what kinds of events we plan on going to outside of school, and to connect with others who share a common interest. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Mr. Lewis</b>	<b>H339</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>American Red Cross Club</b>	The American Red Cross Club will run alongside the New River chapter of the National Red Cross. The club is a fun time with plenty of service opportunities, such as food drives and disaster relief projects, as well as community involvement. <i>(Established 2015-2016)</i>	<b>Ms. Parker</b>	<b>H115</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$10</b>
<b>American Sign Language Club and ASL Honor Society</b>	You do not need to know sign language or have to be in a sign language class to join. We will teach basic signs and develop games to take to elementary students. Experienced members will teach basic signs and develop games to use with elementary students. The group takes a field trip to Kings Dominion in February and performs many service projects throughout the year, such as Thanksgiving Baskets and helping with schools on their Field Days. <i>(Established 2012-2013)</i>	<b>Ms. Ptak</b>	<b>G304</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$15</b>
<b>Animal Club</b>	Animal Club is a club that works to protect animals and better their lives. We will raise money to donate to organizations that give help to animals in need and we will also raise awareness for animal cruelties. We will also work with local organizations and local animal shelters to help our local animal community. <i>(Established 2016-2017)</i>	<b>Ms. Crotty</b>	<b>C107</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$10</b>
<b>Anime club</b>	Anime Club focuses on the popular culture of Japan, of which Anime and Manga are a large part. Anime and Manga are a large part of the Japanese culture and to ignore their influence would leave one with an incomplete picture of what every day Japanese life is like. Manga (Japanese comic books) consists of 1/3 of the material that is printed annually in Japan. Unlike western comics, Manga is written for both adults & children and it is common to see adults reading and collecting comic books alongside their children. Anime (Japanese cartoons) is shown around the clock and is on almost every station. As westerners, we have a rather limited view of Anime because most of it is not translated and many of the shows that are brought over were made for children (take Poke'mon for example). However, many of the more mature Anime deal with issues that are of importance to the entire human race. Mononoke Hime is about man's inability to live alongside nature and raises serious questions about the direction that the human race is taking. Serial Experiments Lain questions the blurring line between the real world and the wired one. It is based on the idea that we are becoming far too dependent on technology and invites discussions on the wisdom of this path. Some favorites are shown followed by discussions on the issues they raise. <i>(Established 2000-2001)</i>	<b>Mr. Riddile</b>	<b>H310</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Archery Club</b>	This club is perfect for any archery lovers or those wishing to learn archery. In Archery Club we will explore the technique and skill used in archery and will put our knowledge to use on the range. This club will also help to develop precision, hand-eye coordination as well as teamwork under the secure supervision of trained adults.	<b>Mr. Morgan</b>	<b>G231</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$15</b>
<b>Art Honor Society/Art Guild</b>	The Art Guild is a very active club with many projects that the members can participate in throughout the year. Our big projects consist of the Homecoming float, Thanksgiving basket collection and decoration, creation of after prom decorations as well as our annual, school wide art show. These activities require participation during the club meetings and after school. Therefore, we are looking for students who have a great love	<b>Ms. McGraw Ms. Hypes Mr. Collver</b>	<b>C103</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$20</b>

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	of art and wish to donate time to club activities. Throughout the year we also do small, individual projects, have guest speakers as well as help to promote art throughout the school. We hope you join our club!				
<b>Arts of Care</b>	The Arts of Care Club focuses on using different forms of arts to show that we care. We are calling for all kinds of creative people - artists, musicians, photographers, poets, etc. -to use your talents for our community outreach. We will mainly raise money for children's education through fundraising for the United Nations Children's Emergency Fund's (UNICEF) Education Program and the Blacksburg Refugee Partnership via bake and art sales, and music performances. We will also perform local community service acts.	<b>Mr. Hawkins</b>	<b>G337</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Beta Club</b>	The BETA Club mission statement is to promote the ideals of academic achievement, character service, and leadership among elementary and secondary school students. At BHS, we strive to demonstrate the motto, Let Us Lead by Serving Others through Community Service. BETA Club has prepared today's students to become tomorrow's leaders through promoting ideals of academic achievement, character, leadership, and service.	<b>Ms. Moore</b>	<b>H207</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$15 (return) \$20 (new)</b>
<b>BHS Dance Club</b>	We will dance and perform.	<b>Ms. Newman</b>	<b>H306</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$6</b>
<b>Biking Club</b>	The Biking Club will teach members the rules of the road and trails around the NRV. Proper care and maintenance of bikes will also be covered, as well as encouragement to get out and ride that bike. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Mr. Beaver</b>	<b>D224 D212</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Biology Investigations</b>	Biology Investigations Club will create experiments, revise experiments, and do experiments that are not normally done in the classroom. We will develop science kits for use in elementary schools. <i>(Established 2013-2014)</i>	<b>Mr. Wilkins</b>	<b>G237</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$8</b>
<b>Black Awareness</b>	Black Social Awareness Club provides an environment to encourage discussions, activities, and interests to those who wish to learn more about current social issues, history, culture, contributions, and accomplishments of people of African heritage. The club strives to reach a wide, diverse, and ethnic audience. <i>(Re-established in 2014-2015)</i>	<b>Ms. Newman</b>	<b>H306</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Bruin Pride</b>	Bruin Pride is a youth led LGBTQ social justice organization that empowers students to advocate, organize, and mobilize movements for safer schools and healthier communities. <i>(Established 2000-2001)</i>	<b>Mr. Thomas Mr. Kraft</b>	<b>G201</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$10</b>
<b>Car Club at BHS (CCBHS)</b>	CCBHS is the first organized group of automotive enthusiasts at BHS. If you have passion for pistons or relish rotaries, CCBHS is a great opportunity to pursue your passions with like-minded enthusiasts. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Ms. Stoll</b>	<b>H209</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Chess Club</b>	We play chess.	<b>Mr. Baker</b>	<b>Cafeteria</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Children's Cancer Assoc. (CCA)</b>	Raising money through various fundraisers for the research and support at St. Judes hospital. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Ms. Christle</b>	<b>Library</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$8</b>
<b>Chinese Yoyo Club</b>	Chinese Yoyo Club teaches members how to play the traditional Chinese toy. There are opportunities to do group performances in the local community. The goal of this club is to increase cultural awareness and to fundraise for non-profits such as Blacksburg Chinese School. No experience necessary! <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Ms. Widrig</b>	<b>Aux. Gym</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$10</b>

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<b>Christian Fellowship Club</b>	Christian Fellowship Club is for young people to spend time together in order to foster Christian fellowship and encourage students to grow in their personal relationship with Jesus Christ. All are Welcome!!	<b>Ms. Shartzner Ms. Dunford</b>	<b>G302</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Civic Leaders of Virginia (CLOVA)</b>	The Civic Leaders of Virginia Club meets to discuss politics, build leadership skills, and educate others about what's going on in the world and what can do to change it. <i>(Established 2016-2017)</i>	<b>Mr. Mattox</b>	<b>G202</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$10</b>
<b>Club Green</b>	Club Green is responsible for the recycling program at BHS. We move the 12 rolling recycling bins from school hallways to the loading dock recycling dumpster. Each club member will sign up to do the recycling every two months. This is an essential and valuable service that we perform. Receive service credits.	<b>Mr. Hulburt</b>	<b>G333</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Cornhole Club</b>	Do you like to play cornhole? So do we! Join us in D224 for games (both friendly and tournament style), advice on building board sets and more. <i>(Established 2014-2015)</i>	<b>Mr. Beever</b>	<b>D224 D212</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$10</b>
<b>Creative Writing Club</b>	Creative Writing Club is a place for like-minded, creative people to get together and express themselves through the written word. Students will focus on growing as writers and creating works for the student-run BHS Literary Magazine, <u>Inkwell</u> . <i>(Established 2015-2016)</i>	<b>Mr. Spring</b>	<b>H307</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Dazzlers: BHS Dance Team</b>	Introducing the brand new BHS Dance Team: The Dazzlers! During our first year at BHS we hope to establish a lasting dance organization that explores a variety of dance styles, while also participating in pep rallies, sports games, and other shows and events. Experienced and inexperienced dancers are welcome! We will hold after-school rehearsals every two weeks. Please come <i>Dazzle</i> us! <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Ms. Dana Ms. Wilson Ms. Hole</b>	<b>H334</b>	<b>After School</b>	<b>Dues \$10</b>
<b>DECA</b>	Each year, DECA strives to enhance the co-curricular education of students with interests in marketing, management and entrepreneurship. DECA helps students develop skills and competence for marketing careers, build confidence, experience leadership and participate in community service projects. Members of DECA can choose to compete at the District, State, and International levels, where each student can earn awards and recognition among DECA members from other chapters and states. The BHS DECA chapter has previously had over 100 members and continues to grow each year.	<b>Ms. Radford Ms. Catley</b>	<b>B101 &amp; B102</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$30</b>
<b>DECA Officers Only</b>	DECA Officers will meet.	<b>Ms. Radford Ms. Catley</b>	<b>H227</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>---</b>
<b>Drone Club</b>	In this club we will teach students the complex systems of drones. We will learn the inner components as well as all movements of the drone. We will have a goal of perfect aerial photography. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Mr. Kaylor Ms. Spradlin</b>	<b>H327</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$10</b>
<b>Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)</b>	FCCLA is a Career & Technical Education Student Organization for students who are in or have taken a course in Family & Consumer Sciences. The mission of the club is to promote personal growth and leadership development through Family & Consumer Sciences Education. Focusing on the multiple roles of family member, wage earner, and community leader, members develop skills for life through – character development, creative and critical thinking, interpersonal communication, practical knowledge, and career preparation.	<b>Ms. Radzai</b>	<b>G105</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$15</b>
<b>Fantasy Sports Club</b>	Members of the Fantasy Sports Club will play in all types of online fantasy sports games such as football, basketball, baseball, March Madness Brackets, as well as talk about sports. No experience needed. You just have to love sports. Members will draft rosters	<b>Ms. Donahue</b>	<b>H206</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$10</b>

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	of players at the beginning of the sports seasons. The players you draft will be rewarded points based on how well they do in real-life games. We will create leagues so you can compete against friends for bragging rights and learn how sports teams keep statistics. Please bring a charged device to participate. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>				
<b>Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA)</b>	Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) is a national Christian organization specifically focused on the needs and interests of student athletes. The club is open to anyone who wants to join, not just athletes or Christians. The meetings will be fun, entirely student-led, and focused on inspiring members to know and follow Jesus and love and serve others in sports, relationships and life. Meetings will include icebreaker games, speakers, discussion and community-building. The values of FCA are integrity, serving, teamwork, and excellence. <i>(Established 2015-2016)</i>	<b>Ms. Stevens</b>	<b>C128</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$7</b>
<b>FFA</b>	The FFA is a National Organization that many people are proud to be a part of. It is a primarily agriculture based program, but there are also Career Development Events, Leadership Development Events, and workshops like those based upon traditional agriculture as well as technology and public speaking. Many members begin their path through the FFA in middle school, and spend the rest of their lives being a part of it by continuing their membership past their high school and college careers. There are many perks to being a part of the FFA such as: premiere leadership, team building and going on trip for competitions like Horse Judging, Livestock Judging, Veterinary Science, Poultry Judging, and Horticulture. These are some of the most popular and well known, but the list of different competitions is practically endless. The FFA is a major part of many students' lives and a fantastic way to improve your knowledge, build your public speaking skills, and to give back to your community.	<b>Ms. Gaertner Ms. Carrier</b>	<b>H121</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$12</b>
<b>FFA Officers Only</b>	FFA Officers will meet.	<b>Ms. Gaertner Ms. Carrier</b>	<b>H125</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>---</b>
<b>Flannel Club</b>	Flannel Club is a club to make blankets and scarves out of flannel fabric for people in need. We raise all of the money ourselves through fundraisers and make the blankets and scarves, then we distribute them to a charity of the club's choice. <i>(Established 2015-2016)</i>	<b>Ms. Mayer</b>	<b>C140</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Foreign Relations Club</b>	The Foreign Relations Club seeks to improve ties with international students at BHS. During each club meeting we will provide food and organize activities to make international students feel included in the BHS community. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Ms. Donahue</b>	<b>H206</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>French Club and French National Honor Society</b>	<b>French Club</b> – The French Club is open to all students who are enrolled in a French class, have lived in a French-speaking country, or are able to speak the language. Club activities relate to France or other francophone regions, playing games, listening to music, listening to guest speakers, or watching and discussing short videos. <b>French National Honor Society</b> (la Société honoraire de français) – The French Honor Society is a national organization formed to promote the study of French and to recognize student achievement. Students must be in at least their third year of French, have maintained and A- average overall in French, and be receiving an A at the time of the invitation. There are also other general academic and classroom requirements. Membership is by invitation. Members participate in and help lead the activities for the club.	<b>Ms. Trumbo</b>	<b>G329</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>

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<b>Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)</b>	Future Business Leaders of America is a national competitive organization that covers the world of business. Students have the opportunity to compete at the local, state, and national levels in many business related topics.	<b>Ms. Simmons</b>	<b>H225</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$10</b>
<b>Geek Media</b>	Geek Media will take recent news information about geek topics such as Marvel, DC, StarWars, etc., and indulge in discussion on the club members' individual thoughts about it and the pros and cons of the topic. We will also play games, during or after discussions, make crafts that have to do with the topic and have fun with it. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Ms. McGraw</b>	<b>C103</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$3</b>
<b>German and German National Honor Society</b>	German Club is a group dedicated to furthering the friendship between America and German speaking countries through activities emphasizing German language skills and culture. <i>(Established May 2015)</i>	<b>Ms. Ruus</b>	<b>G300</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$30</b>
<b>Girl Up - Blacksburg High</b>	This club raises funds to be donated to Fistula Foundation, an organization that helps treat women who suffer from obstetric fistula, and Girl Up, an organization which funds girls who need and deserve and education. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Ms. Ferraraccio</b>	<b>H305</b>	<b>After School</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Glee Club</b>	Glee Club is a great place to hang out with friends, watch awesome movies, listen to music, and participate in numerous service opportunities. Members are encouraged to participate in service activities to help our community while simultaneously having fun with music. <i>(Established 2015-2016)</i>	<b>Ms. Stevens</b>	<b>G205</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$8</b>
<b>Habitat for Humanity</b>	The Habitat for Humanity Club contributes to the community through several outreach opportunities. In the fall the club participates in the homecoming parade and the Thanksgiving Basket event. Throughout the year, volunteer opportunities at the ReStore in Christiansburg are available. In the spring, the club volunteers at Micah's Backpack and Linus Blankets are created for children in need. We hope to see you at the first club meeting! <i>(Established 2000-2001)</i>	<b>Ms. Grisso</b>	<b>H233</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Hawaiian Club</b>	Come to Hawaiian Club to learn about all our 50 <sup>th</sup> State. Food, videos, a guest hula dancer, and a fun insight into the Hawaiian spirit! <i>(Established 2015-2016)</i>	<b>Ms. Jenkins Ms. Sudweeks</b>	<b>H235</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Help Save the Next Girl</b>	Help Save the Next Girl is an afterschool club affiliated with the national non-profit organization formed in honor of Morgan Dana Harrington, a 20 year old Virginia Tech student who was abducted and murdered in 2009. We plan to create a strong foundation in BHS against violence while informing young women about predatory danger. <i>(Established 2014- 2015)</i>	<b>Mr. Thomas Ms. Graham</b>	<b>G201</b>	<b>After School</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Heroes 4 Haiti</b>	Heroes 4 Haiti organizes bake sales and other fundraising projects to raise money and awareness for schools located in Haiti, providing them with education and school supplies. Heroes 4 Haiti raises money specifically for the welfare and supplies of Haitian schools. <i>(Established 2013-2014)</i>	<b>Ms. Scales</b>	<b>G235</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$7</b>
<b>Hispanic Culture Club</b>	Hispanic Culture Club is a celebration of the traditions, people, cuisine, dance, and language of all Spanish speaking regions. Come join the fun!	<b>Ms. LaForce</b>	<b>G301</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>HOSA-Future Health Professionals</b>	HOSA-Future Health Professionals is the student organization for those enrolled in Health & Medical Science Education. Benefits of HOSA include personal leadership, growth, dedication to improving health conditions within the community, and the development of good decision making skills. HOSA activities throughout the year include HOSA instruction and orientation, social activities, fund-raising, competition at the state level, and involvement in community service activities.	<b>Ms. Parker</b>	<b>H115</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$20</b>
<b>Interact Club</b>	Interact is a junior version of Rotary International that strives to promote "service above	<b>Ms. St. Germain</b>	<b>B101 &amp;</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues</b>

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	self". The Interact Club creates and completes various service projects during the year. At times, we may also host speakers to motivate us to serve our community, commonwealth, and nation.	<b>Ms. D. Showalter</b>	<b>B102</b>		<b>\$10</b>
<b>Journalism Club</b>	The Journalism Club is focused on helping students become journalists and learn more about journalism's role in the world. Our mission statement is to enrich journalism classroom instruction, to educate students about real world applications of journalism, and to encourage students to take career paths in journalism. Each meeting will focus on a different area of journalism with a guest speaker, workshop, and work on a live broadcast. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Ms. Spencer</b>	<b>G303</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Kahoot Club</b>	We play fun, interesting Kahoot trivia games. If you like studying with Kahoot or crushing your competition, Kahoot Club is right for you. Bring a charged phone or tablet and the drive to destroy your competition. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Ms. Lynde</b>	<b>H336</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Key Club International</b>	Key Club International is the high school organization sponsored by Kiwanis International. Key Club assists Kiwanis in carrying out its mission to serve the children of the world. Blacksburg High School student members of Key Club perform acts of service in our local community, such as helping with Micah's Backpacks and Special Olympics, collecting food, and raising money for Project Eliminate and UNICEF. We also learn leadership skills by running meetings, planning projects, providing service and holding elected leadership positions at the club, district and international levels. <i>(Established 2002-2003)</i>	<b>Mr. Mattox</b>	<b>G202</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$15</b>
<b>Magic the Gathering Club</b>	In Magic the Gathering Club we will provide spaces and times for our members to play the game, learn more and participate in small friendly tournaments. <i>(Established 2014-2015)</i>	<b>Mr. Ray</b>	<b>G306</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Make-A-Wish Club</b>	The Make-A-Wish club is dedicated to fundraising and supporting the Make-A-Wish Foundation, an international, non-profit organization, dedicated to granting the wishes of children battling life threatening illnesses. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Ms. Halstead</b>	<b>G328</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Mentor Club</b>	The Mentor Club helps other students and adults feel welcome, to provide mentorship and friendship opportunities at school. Student Membership Limit: 20	<b>Ms. Holdaway</b>	<b>G305</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$8</b>
<b>Minecraft Club</b>	This club is designed for students who enjoy Minecraft. Whether you're a builder, explorer, designer, survivor, or gladiator, we have something for you. We offer a variety worlds and gameplay types to enhance your Minecraft experience. Please visit <a href="http://bhsminecraftclub.webs.com">bhsminecraftclub.webs.com</a> for more information.	<b>Mr. Ray</b>	<b>G306</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>More Than Robots</b>	Calling all students interested in engineering, design and programing. Calling all students who want to actively compete in the FIRST Tech Challenge (including full involvement in Outreach efforts). Calling all students that want to support the teams with other skills like graphic design, promotional campaigns, social media, outreach development, and community support. Join a competitive team that gives back to the community & connects with teams around the World. Currently Team 4924 -The Tuxedo Pandas- is the only community team from the New River Valley.	<b>Ms. Stoll</b>	<b>D211 (STEM Lab)</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Muslim Students Association (MSA)</b>	Muslim Students Association focuses on educating members on topics about or related to Islam to help members have a better understanding of the religion and culture as well as how Islam affects the societies revolving around it. This club is more focused on the academics and discussing history, culture, and current events. On top of that, members	<b>Ms. Spencer</b>	<b>G303</b>	<b>After School</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>

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	prepare for MIST tournaments if they choose to (Muslim Inter-Scholastic Tournament). (Established 2017-2018)				
<b>National History Day</b>	National History Day provides foundation for understanding and appreciation of history while developing the necessary 21 <sup>st</sup> century tools and critical thinking skills necessary for future civic engagement. (Established 2017-2018)	<b>Mr. Kraft</b>	<b>G206</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>National Honor Society</b>	The National Honor Society is, as its name implies, an organization that emphasizes the areas scholarship, character, leadership and service. Thousands of schools have chapters that follow the NHS constitution. The purpose of the NHS is to create enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote leadership, and to develop character in the students of secondary schools. Selection to NHS is a privilege, not a right. It is not an election, it is not a popularity contest, and students do not “automatically get in” because of a high grade point average. At BHS, students become eligible for membership in the NHS in the spring of their junior year. Students with the required minimum cumulative GPA of 3.5 will be identified and offered the opportunity to provide information regarding their leadership and service. They also must submit references from 3 faculty members who will confirm that the student is of good character, that is, he/she demonstrates respect, responsibility, trustworthiness, fairness, caring, citizenship, honesty, integrity, ethics and exemplary behavior. A faculty selection committee reviews the information and recommends or not that a student be granted. Students who have the necessary GPA but who are not selected in their junior year will have another opportunity for membership in the fall of their senior year. Once selected, either as a junior or as a senior, there is a formal induction ceremony.	<b>Mr. Pedersen Mr. Ramsey Ms. Stevens Ms. Lynde</b>	<b>B101 &amp; B102</b>	<b>After School</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>National Spanish Honor Society</b>	The purpose of the Society is to recognize high achievement in Spanish & Portuguese by students of secondary schools and to promote continuity of interest in Hispanic and Luso-Brazilian students. The society is classified as a national and international academic honor society in the study of high school Spanish and Portuguese and is sponsored by the American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese, Inc. Each unit of the society that is located in a secondary school is designated as a chapter. The name of the chapter, preferably that of an important Hispanic literary or historical figure, shall be chosen by the Chapter Sponsor. Blacksburg High School has adopted the name of the famous Chilean novelist, Jose Donoso.	<b>Ms. D. Showalter Ms. Halstead</b>	<b>G331</b>	<b>After School</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>National Technical Honor Society</b>	National Technical Honor Society recognizes student achievement in Career and Technical Education. Thousands of schools and colleges are affiliated with society member schools and agree that NTHS encourages higher scholastic achievement, cultivates a desire for personal excellence and helps students find success in today's highly competitive workplace. (Established 2016-2017)	<b>Ms. Price Ms. Radford</b>	<b>C110</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$35</b>
<b>Nature Club</b>	Nature Club is a club for those who love exploring the outdoors and learning more about nature. We go outside as many club days as possible observing and exploring the wildlife around the school. (Established 2016-2017)	<b>Mr. Cox</b>	<b>Comp. Lab - Library</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Operation Smile</b>	Operation Smile is a non-profit organization. Our club donates supplies and hosts fundraisers to raise money for children with cleft palates or lips. Members can purchase a t-shirt for \$5. (Established 2004-2005)	<b>Ms. Davis</b>	<b>H334</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$5 T-shirt \$5</b>

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<b>Outdoor Kayak Club</b>	The Outdoor Kayak Club looks to bring together students who share a love of the outdoors. We look to organize common interests and promote awareness of how others can be involved.	<b>Mr. Ramsey Mr. Rotche</b>	<b>H211</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Pennies for Peace</b>	Pennies for Peace wants to collect as much change to donate to developing countries and foundations such as World Peace Organization.	<b>Ms. Graham</b>	<b>G204</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Ping Pong</b>	The BHS Ping Pong Club is a Sports club. Yes, ping pong is a sport! Table Tennis originated about 1900 as a parlor game called Ping-Pong ("ping" sound made by the ball hitting the racquet and "pong" sound made by the ball hitting the table.) Table tennis is considered to be the world's second largest participation sport. It is the number one racquet sport in the United States, and even became an Olympic sport in 1988. The BHS Ping Pong Club is open to anyone who is interested in ping pong. It is a great activity that will improve one's eye and hand coordination. Our club is a great way to connect to anyone who is interested in ping pong, or if you just want to make some new friends. If you enjoy ping pong, then join us at our meetings in the Den.	<b>Mr. Brown Mr. Ramsey</b>	<b>Bruin Den</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$10</b>
<b>Random Acts of Kindness</b>	Random Acts of Kindness Club is a service-based club that spreads positivity throughout the school. Our goal is to create a friendly environment for our peers through random acts of kindness.	<b>Ms. K. Showalter</b>	<b>G315</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Relief for Refugees</b>	Relief for Refugees is a student-led organization to raise money and coordinate supply collection to support refugee families in the New River Valley. ( <i>Established 2017-2018</i> )	<b>Mr. Kraft</b>	<b>G206</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Religious Relations</b>	Religious Relations is a club that will explore different religions. We will see how religions have influenced other religions and how they influence our way of life. ( <i>Established 2017-2018</i> )	<b>Mr. Spring</b>	<b>H307</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Role Playing Game Club</b>	Role Playing Game Club is designed to foster a community of like-minded games in the spirit of role play. In this club we will spend most of our time playing Demons and Dragons. Beginners welcome! ( <i>Established 2017-2018</i> )	<b>Mr. Pedersen</b>	<b>G232</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Roots &amp; Shoots</b>	Roots and Shoots club will allow members to learn about plants/flowers that can grow in our backyards, animals, and living organisms. We will hold fundraisers for local small businesses.	<b>Mr. Metz</b>	<b>B102</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Science Fiction Club</b>	The Science Fiction Club embraces activities that encourage imagination within the context of scientific principles. Simulations or games that recognize alternatives to what is known as "realistic" are welcomed in the Science Fiction Club. Legacies such as star wars, or Richard Garfield's game <i>Magic</i> are examples of avenues by which the Science Fiction Club can maintain its standards for creativity and appreciation for the "alternative".	<b>Ms. Biedler</b>	<b>H331</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Science Olympiad</b>	Do you like Science? Do you want to be part of a team and apply what you have learned? Science Olympiad is the club for you. Science Olympiad is the club for you. Science Olympiad competitions are like academic sports events. There are 23 team events ranging from earth science to physics to anatomy if you want to be part of the competitive team be prepared for after school meetings. ( <i>Established 2017-2018</i> )	<b>Ms. Davis</b>	<b>H334</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$25</b>
<b>Scrabble Club</b>	The Scrabble Club is an informal club where members meet to play Scrabble.	<b>Ms. Christle Mr. Ray</b>	<b>Library</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Ski Club</b>	Ski Club is for students who enjoy the art of skiing to come together and have a positive impact on the community/school by giving back through service projects. ( <i>Established 2017-2018</i> )	<b>Ms. Sudweeks Mr. Jenkins</b>	<b>H235</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$20</b>

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<b>Skills USA</b>	Skills USA is a co-curricular organization that involves career and technical students, teachers, administrators, and business and industry to prepare students for the world of work and future education goals. Skills USA increases a students' leadership and professional skills.	<b>Ms. Price Ms. Spradlin Mr. Kaylor Ms. McWilliams K. Showalter</b>	<b>G111</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$16</b>
<b>Soccer Balls Club</b>	We are a club that will promote peace on dangerous parts of cities by sending soccer balls for the underprivileged families to play with. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Mr. Pedersen</b>	<b>G232</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Sports for Charity</b>	This club is meant to collect unused and gently used sports clothes in the community and donate them to underprivileged kids in the community and other countries. This club will also take part in activities such as Relay for Life and other runs, as well as getting involved in the community. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Mr. Brewer</b>	<b>H210</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$7</b>
<b>String &amp; Beads Club</b>	Strings and Beads Club is for anyone who enjoys crafting. <i>(Established 2006-2007)</i>	<b>Ms. Dana</b>	<b>G334</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Student Knitting Organization</b>	This club is for people who are interested in knitting or working with yarn. If you want to learn to make hats, headbands, or other items, as well as hang out with cool people, this is the place for you. <i>(Established 2003-2004)</i>	<b>Ms. McGraw</b>	<b>C103</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$3</b>
<b>Super Smash Bros. Club</b>	A group for bettering skills in the game Super Smash Bros. and having friendly, competitive matches with the occasional tournament.	<b>Ms. Ferraraccio</b>	<b>H305</b>	<b>After School</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Survival Club</b>	The Survival Club is the exploration of how to survive in the wild. Focus on staying fit through regular exercise and having nutritious food available.	<b>Mr. Johnson Ms. Traylor</b>	<b>H106</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Technology Student Association (TSA)</b>	The Technology Student Association fosters personal growth, leadership, and opportunities in technology, innovation, design, and engineering. Members apply and integrate science, technology, engineering and mathematics concepts through co-curricular activities, competitive events and related programs. The TSA is the only student organization devoted exclusively to the needs of students interested in technology. Open to students enrolled in or who have completed technology education courses. TSA is supported by educators, parents, and business leaders who believe in the need for a technologically literate society. Members learn through exciting and competitive events, leadership opportunities and much more.	<b>Mr. Collver</b>	<b>D211 (STEM Lab)</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$0</b>
<b>Theatre Arts Association</b>	The Theatre Arts Association is an opportunity to learn more about the aspects of theatre and to improve upon certain skills. It's an opportunity for those who love theatre to gather together.	<b>Ms. Mayer</b>	<b>Auditorium</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Tri-M (Music Honor Society)</b>	The Tri-M National Music Honor Society is a program of the National Association for Music Education which focuses on creating future leaders in music education and music advocacy. To qualify for admission, students must be enrolled in a school-sponsored music ensemble (band/choir) for a least one semester and maintain an overall GPA of at least 3.0. They must also be of excellent character and demonstrate leadership and service in their school music program. See Mr. Woolwine or Mr. Pearman for applications.	<b>Mr. Woolwine Mr. Pearman</b>	<b>C117</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$15</b>
<b>Ultimate Frisbee Club</b>	Ultimate Frisbee Club is a fun, active, and inclusive group where students can learn about the rules of Ultimate Frisbee and practice it. It is a good physical activity and is a bonding exercise for students. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Mr. Metz</b>	<b>Gym</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>
<b>Ultimate Frisbee Club</b>	Ultimate Frisbee Club is a great way for anyone interested in playing Ultimate Frisbee, regardless of skill level, to get together and work on their Ultimate Frisbee skills, and most	<b>Mr. Brewer</b>	<b>H210</b>	<b>CG2</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>

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	importantly, have fun! Each club meeting we will try to spend as much time outside playing Ultimate Frisbee as weather permits. Club participants are encouraged to bring their own discs (some will be provided). <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>				
<b>Video Game Club</b>	Video Game Club is a fun environment to try out new video games and technology as well as participate in competition.	<b>Mr. Johnson Ms. Traylor</b>	<b>Comp. Lab - Library</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$10</b>
<b>Water for Africa</b>	Water for Africa is a group of dedicated students who have a common denominator of wanting to make a difference in the world. Through numerous fundraisers and social activities, Water for Africa is holding hands with the Blacksburg community in order to take synchronized steps to reach its goal of raising \$8,000 to fund a water well in Africa. <i>(Established 2017-2018)</i>	<b>Mr. Pedersen</b>	<b>G232</b>	<b>CG1</b>	<b>Dues \$8</b>
<b>Yoga Club</b>	The Yoga Club practices Hatha yoga, which incorporates a variety of asanas (postures) with pranayama (breathing). The goal of Yoga Club is to introduce students to a non-religious philosophy to help them learn to release the tension in their muscles and destress through movement and breath.	<b>Ms. Spencer</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Gathering Area</b>	<b>CG3</b>	<b>Dues \$5</b>

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