

Active Clubs/Sponsors

2016-17

Activity	Description	Sponsor	Email Contact	Meetings	Location/Room
VHSL Teams		Coaches	Email	Meetings	Location
Debate/Speech	Debate is a VHSL certified team that competes in the local league, as well as traveling to tournaments where they participate in Public Forum debate.	Duane Hyland	duanedjh@aol.com	Wednesdays afternoon pm-8:00 pm 4:15	C106 (Ms. Touhey-faculty sponsor)
Forensics	Students work together to learn basic debating skills and researching to prepare for competitions.	Duane Hyland	duanedjh@aol.com	Wednesdays afternoon pm-8:00 pm 4:15	C106 (Ms. Touhey-faculty sponsor)
It's Academic(Scholastic Bowl)	<i>It's Academic gives students a chance to test their knowledge in a competitive but fun atmosphere. Players try to answer questions on almost anything, from academic subjects to pop culture.</i>	Peter Bisset; Gary Holtzman	phbisset@fcps.edu; GPHoltzman@fcps.edu	Thursdays	J245 *Recommended for 10th-12th grade
One-Act	A one-act play is a short piece of drama that consists of only one act. It usually has one or more scenes, but does not exceed one act.	R.L. Mirabal	rlmirabal@fcps.edu	see sponsor for details	*For students enrolled in the class

Club Sports	Description	Coaches/Sponsors	Email	Meetings	Location
Crew Club	Dedicated to providing an opportunity for students to learn the sport of rowing. Fosters a competitive rowing environment and encourages the development of good sportsmanship and the art of teamwork. Our program teaches novices the basics of rowing, conditioning, and teamwork. Team members build strength and endurance, develop time-management and self-discipline skills, and gain the confidence.	Tracy Shakespeare	coaches@bruincrew.com	Winter Season: Land Training at LBSS. Spring Season: On Water Training at Bull Run Marina	http://bruincrew.com
Rifle	<i>To learn air rifle positions and maintain scores for winter sport. Need to buy some basic items, but equipment is available at range.</i>	Mark Miller - coach	lakebraddockrifle@gmail.com	Saturday mornings @ Sills Range, Fairfax-Arlington Chapter, Izaak W/ton League, Centrevill, Va.	J233 - James McLeellan-faculty sponsor. Facebook page @ www.facebook.com/lakebraddockrifle

Student Government	Description	Sponsors	Email	Meetings	Location
SGA	<i>The SGA strives to encourage school spirit, give students a representative voice, serve as ambassadors to their school and community, and to develop strong student leaders.</i>	Erin Fisher; Veeda Ranjber	ejfisher@fcps.edu; vranjber@fcps.edu	see sponsor for details	*Must be elected
Class Of 2017	<i>The sponsors and the class of 2017 officers work together to create a fun and successful year leading up to graduation.</i>	Jenifer Celko; Kayla Shane	jkcelko@fcps.edu; kdshane@fcps.edu	see sponsor for details	H206
Class Of 2018	<i>Promote class spirit, organize and execute fundraisers for class fund, serve as the class representative voice.</i>	David Wickham; Emily Cincinnati	DBWickham@fcps.edu; escincinnati@fcps.edu	see sponsor for details	M229
Class of 2019	<i>Promote class spirit, organize and execute fundraisers for class fund, serve as the class representative voice.</i>	Laura Dougherty	LADougherty@fcps.edu	see sponsor for details	C169
Class of 2020	<i>Promote class spirit, organize and execute fundraisers for class fund, serve as the class representative voice.</i>	Dennis Adms; Alex Flores	DJAdams1@fcps.edu	see sponsor for details	J220

Honor Societies	Description	Sponsors	Email	Meetings	Location
French Honor Society	<i>Recognize academic excellence. Be a role model for student body. Tutor fellow students. Activities related to French culture and fund raisers.</i>	Lauren Hurst	lphurst@fcps.edu	See sponsor for schedule of meetings	C206
German Honor Society	<i>To recognize academic excellence, service activities, tutorial service and fund raisers.</i>	Sarah Zaniello	SCZaniello@fcps.edu	See sponsor for schedule of meetings	C212
International Thespian Society	<i>The International Thespian Honor Society is an honorary organization that recognizes and rewards excellence among the participants in the theatre arts program.</i>	R.L. Mirabal	rlmirabal@fcps.edu	Everyday afterschool	N111 or Little Theater
Japanese Honor Society	<i>The Japanese National Honor Society recognizes and encourages achievement and excellence in the study of the Japanese language. To recognize outstanding students, to encourage them to continue in the study of Japanese, and to promote activities that give students ways to use their language skills.</i>	Keiko Abrams	KIAbrams@fcps.edu	See sponsor for schedule of meetings	C204 *3.5 GPA in Japanese 3.0 GPA Overall
Journalism Honor Society "Quill & Scroll"	<i>To honor the hard work and dedication of our Bruin Journalists. This is a honorary society for students involved in journalism through newspaper and yearbook.</i>	Ben Sellers	bsellers@fcps.edu	See sponsor for schedule of meetings	L202 *3.0 GPA
Latin Honor Society	<i>Service-oriented and recognizes the achievement of all students of Latin.</i>	Cheri Miller	cmiller@fcps.edu	1st Monday of every month	C213 *Must be in or have completed Latin III, 3.5 GPA in Latin, 3.0 GPA overall.
Math Honor Society (Mu Alpha Theta)	<i>To recognize outstanding math students in our high school and encourage them to pass their skills onto others through our tutoring program.</i>	Susan Kim	SKKim@fcps.edu	See sponsor for schedule of meetings	J105 *3.5 GPA in math, 3.0 GPA Overall
National Art Honor Society	<i>Inspire and recongnize the growth and development of young artists. Foster excellane/dedicated spirit to the pursuit of art. Expose students to a variety of creative exercises and make a contribution to art in the community.</i>	Jo Stokes	JASTokes@fcps.edu	Thursdays	B203 *Must have taken at least 1 semester art class and have at least a 3.0 GPA in art
National Honor Society	<i>To promote Scholarship, Leadership, Character, and Community Service within the LBSS community.</i>	Erin Fillare	ERFillare@fcps.edu	See sponsor for schedule of meetings	*By invitation. Candidates must be at least a sophomore, 3.5 or higher GPA, and demonstrate that they value the qualities espoused by the NHS: leadership, scholarship, character, and service.
Spanish Honor Society	<i>The society promotes the use of the Spanish language and helps out community in different ways.</i>	Dana Quart	dequart@fcps.edu	No regular schedule. Meet as needed.	C219
Tri-M Music Honor Society	<i>Tri-M Music Honor Society is an international music honor society designed to recognize students for their academic and musical achievements, reward them for their accomplishments and service activities, and to inspire other students to excel at music and leadership.</i>	Mary DeMarco	mldemarco@fcps.edu	Once a Quarter or Semester- Depending on the need.	P133 *Must be enrolled in a music class; maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA, 3.5 GPA in music classes

Co-curricular Activities	Description	Sponsors	Email	Meetings	Location
Bear Facts (Newspaper)	To document student life and activities throughout the year; to inform and entertain the Lake Braddock School and Community.	Ben Sellers	bsellers@fcps.edu	Monday - Friday	L202 *For students enrolled in the class
DECA (Distribute Education Clubs of America)	DECA is a national association of marketing education students, provides teachers and members with educational and leadership development activities to merge with the education classroom instructional program. DECA chapters attract students who are interested in preparing for entrepreneurial, marketing or management careers. DECA utilizes on-the-job experience, chapter projects, and a program of competency-based competitive events in specific marketing occupational areas. These events emphasize academic and vocational excellence.	Mel Morgan; Ericka Symonette	MCMorgan@fcps.edu; etsymonette@fcps.edu	Every Monday - Officers Quarterly - All Members @LBDECA	B231 or B221 *For students enrolled in a marketing class
FBLA (Future Business Leaders of America)	FBLA is the largest and oldest business student organization in the world. FBLA provides the opportunity to network and socialize with students and professionals within the state, nationally, and internationally. Competitions are held in a variety of academic conferences having over 75 different events from such as: Job interview, cyber security, Database Design & Applications, Management Decision Makin, Public Speaking, Network Design, Accounting, Business Law, and many more!!	Eileen Fox; Felix Caraballo	EMFox@fcps.edu; frcaraballo@fcps.edu	Once a Month on a Monday or Tuesday. See sponsor for dates.	H202/B228 *Current Business students may become members
FCCLA HS (Family, Career & Community Leaders of Amer.)	FCCLA incorporates school-to-career responsibilities and works to develop leadership skills, service learning projects, and works to improve the LBSS community.	Thomas Prassa; Toshieba Ragland	TAPrassa@fcps.edu; tragland@fcps.edu	See sponsor	C174 *For HS students enrolled in Family and Consumer Sciences
Educators Rising (formly FEA)	Educators Rising cultivates highly skilled educators by guiding young people on a path to becoming accomplished teachers, beginning in high school and extending through college and into the profession.	Paul Agner	peagner@fcps.edu	Meet during Bruin Block 6th or 7th period	G105 - Enrollment in the Teachers for Tomorrow is not reuired but encouraged as a junior or a senior. We have a honor society and award graduation cords.
Lair (Yearbook)	To document student life and activities throughout the year; to inform and entertain the Lake Braddock School and Community.	Ben Sellers	bsellers@fcps.edu	Monday - Friday	L202 *For students enrolled in the class
TSA (Technology Student Association)	To prepare its membership for the challenges of a dynamic world by promoting technological literacy, leadership, and problem solving skills, resulting in personal growth and opportunities. Participate in events and conferences outside of LBSS. Students compete in a variety of technology and engineering fields.	Phill Saunders	LMSaunders1@fcps.edu	See sponsor	*For students currently enrolled in (or have completed) Technology Education Classes

HS Clubs/Activities	Description	Sponsors	Email	Meetings	Location
A Cappella	Sing songs without instruments and work on vocal skills and abilities.	Mary Demarco	mldemarco@fcps.edu	Tuesdays	P133 *Auditions at the beginning of each semester
Adventure Club	Our club wants to explore the world, via research and activities. We want to learn about the world and travel to some of those places to explore.	Karen Doades	kddoades@fcps.edu	Tuesdays	L226
AeroEng	To discuss current astromony and engineering news as well as share club member amature astromony observations.	Robert Irelan	RWIrelan@fcps.edu	Once at the end of each month	H232
Asian American Student Association	To promote Asian-American awareness, to increase cultural understanding of Asian-Americans, to promote good will and to assist within the community.	Mark Purdy	mjpurdy@fcps.edu	Any Late Bus Day	M140
Black Student Association	To promote African-American awareness, to increase cultural understanding of African-Americans, to promote good will and to assist within the community.	Sonja Curry-Johnson; Mel Morgan	MCMorgan@fcps.edu; scurryjohnso@fcps.edu	Mondays	B229
Book Club (HS)	To foster positive attitudes towards reading and expose students to a wide variety of literature that may not be covered in class due to the time constraints and syllabus requirements.	Bonnie Prouty	ldprouty@fcps.edu	See sponsor	Not really an organized club
Bruin Buddies Partners Club	To combine general education and special education students in a fun and welcoming environemnt so as to unify all members of our school and create strong and lasting friendships.	Nancy Jackonis	nvjackonis@fcps.edu	Thursdays. @lbruinbuddies	B101/JROTC Room
Bruins Minds Matter	To encourage students and to raise awareness of mental health by promoting help-seeking behavior, social-connectionedness, self-care and healthy habits.	Homaira Ibrahim; Rebecca Gerig	hqibrahimi@fcps.edu; rmerig@fcps.edu	Tuesday & Thursday (subject to change)	H214
Chess Club	The Chess Club welcomes all students, regardless of experience, who are interested in playing chess. Students will have opportunities to learn about the game and play chess with peers.	Micheal Henrich	MRHenrich@fcps.edu	Thursdays	H212
Cosmic Club	To learn about astromony and our universe through hand-on experiments. Apply astromony to real life.	Mary Donovan	MKDonovan@fcps.edu	Thursday (Once or twice monthly) @LBCosmicClub	M128
CPP (College Partnership Program)	College Partnership Program's program goals are to increase the academic achievement of students and to increase the number of students particularly first generation and minority students, who enroll in CPP and succeed in college. The CPP creates opportunities for students to successfully navigate the home, school, college, and work continuum. Participating colleges and universities sponsor a variety of activities to increase students' and parents' knowledge and understanding of higher education programs and college life and to enhance students' motivation for higher academic achievement.	Jacquie Naughton	JANaughton@fcps.edu	Mondays - Once a Month	Lecture or Large Side of Cafeteria
Cyber Patriot Club	To inspire students toward careers in cybersecurity or other science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) disciplines critica to our nations future.	Tom McLarney	TPMcLarney@fcps.edu	See sponsor	A212
Digital Arts Club includes Cartooning Club	Use various programs such as Adobe photoshop, dreamweaver, and flash we will collaborate on a large scale animation, web, or interactive projects.	Michael Feeney	MJFeeney@fcps.edu	Purple Day Mondays (check Blackboard) @digiartclub	B216
DIY Club	A crafty club for students to learn how to make "do-it-yourself" crafts for fun.	Maureen Goble	MEGoble@fcps.edu	Varies (Tuesday/Thursdays)	A205
Do Something Club	A nationwide organization that empowers teenagers to make a difference in the world one action at a time. To initiate leadership skills, to promote beneficial actions in the community, to assist students in building their cooperation skills and to prepare members to their later years as citizens.	Laura Dougherty	LADougherty@fcps.edu	See sponsor	C168
Doctors Of Tomorrow	Designed to give students an opportunity to learn about the medical field, medical professions, and provide a place to share their common interests. Students will be exposed to information on how to achieve their educational/career goals. Research/share opportunities, academic programs and internship opportunities to encourage student to participate in medical journey.	Betsy Desouza-Wyatt	BCDesouzaWya@fcps.edu	After School on late bus days, usually 1-2 days a month but varies from month to month.	H129

French Club	**No description given. Please see sponsor for details	Lauren Hurst	lhurst@fcps.edu	No set schedule. See sponsor	C206
Frisbee Interest Club	To interact and discuss all aspects of frisbee.	Thom Prassa	TAPrassa@fcps.edu	Mondays, Wednesdays, & Thursdays	C174
Gaming Club- Super Smash Brothers	To endorse friendly competition between students who enjoy playing the video game super smash brothers. To further increase the bonds of friendship among fellow schoolmates.	Brian Bailey	BBBailey1@fcps.edu	Every Thursday Afterschool	J246
Gender & Sexuality Association/GSA	A Gay-Straight Alliance (GSA) is a student-run club, which provides a safe place for students to meet, support each other, talk about issues related to sexual orientation and gender identity and expression, and work to end homophobia and transphobia.	Sarah Zaniello	SCZaniello@fcps.edu	See sponsor	C212
German Club	**No description given. Please see sponsor for details	Sarah Zaniello	SCZaniello@fcps.edu	See Sponsor	C212
Herpetology Club	There are three typical functions of a GSA club: Support, Social, and Activist.	Mark Khosravi	MRKhosravi@fcps.edu	Mondays	A201
HIP HOP Club	Learn to dance/share a common interest and passion for dance and other hip hop skills. We will focus on teaching new skills and styles to students by students. All styles and levels welcome.	Tony DiBari	asdibari@fcps.edu	Wednesdays afterschool	SS 4 & small side of cafeteria
Hispanic Student Association	To unite, educate, and empower the Latino community through awareness. To empowerment fellow students who share similar backgrounds or are interested in learning about the culture.	Alicia Del Barrio Escibano, Estefania Vargas	adelbarrios@fcps.edu ; evargasclaro@fcps.edu	Tuesday/Thursdays Once a Month	C202/C225
International Club	**No description given. Please see sponsor for details	Anitha Krishnawamy	akrishnaswam@fcps.edu	Thursdays.	H139
Japanese Club	Enjoy various aspects of Japanese traditional and contemporary culture.	Keiko Abrams	KIAbams@fcps.edu	Once a month (2nd or 3rd Thursday)	C204
Key Club	Key Club is an international student-led organization which provides its members with opportunities to provide service, build character and develop leadership.	David Brothers	dhbrothers@fcps.edu	Every other Tuesday	H215
Korean Club	To spread diversity at LBSS by introducing many different aspects of the Korean culture to the general student body through meetings, discussions, and cultural events.	Judy Edwards	jaedwards@fcps.edu	See sponsor	Career Center
Lake Braddock Theatre	We love what we do. In turn, we find life and faith in our own abilities in this theatre. This is our home and you are welcome to it. If you work and you love and you respect, you will succeed, you will have new life and you will believe in yourself.	R.L. Mirabal	rlmirabal@fcps.edu	Every day afterschool - more information on our Lake Braddock Theatre facebook page.	N111 or Little Theater
Lake Braddock Triathlon Interest Club	To bring together triathletes and future triathletes by discussing information that can help start their careers as athletes. We encourage individuals to work out and practice by themselves with strategies we discuss in meetings.	Jenn Cortsi	jacortesi@fcps.edu	Thursdays	M234
Latin Club	Latin club promotes the love and appreciation of the Latin language and Ancient Roman culture.	Emily Lewis; Cheri Miller	ealewis1@fcps.edu ; cmiller@fcps.edu	Last Monday of each Month	C213
LB Christian Clubs - FCA (Fellowship Of Christian Athletes)	To provide a place of fellowship, encouragement, and spiritual growth for both Christians and non-Christians. All students are welcome to join in the fellowship regardless of religious background or athletic interests.	Terry French; Cheri Miller	tcfrench@fcps.edu ; cmiller@fcps.edu	See sponsor	C213
LB Christian Clubs - Christian Fellowship Group	**No description given. Please see sponsor for details	Linda Alvarez	LJAlvarez1@fcps.edu	Every other Monday. @lbsscfc Twitter	A213
LBSS Culinary Club	Students getting together to learn kitchen oriented skills and techniques, which includes baking and cooking.	Thomas Prassa; Toshieba Ragland	TAPrassa@fcps.edu ; tragland@fcps.edu	Tuesdays	C174
LB Tutor Buddies	To provide tutoring to services to students by students.	Emily Owens	ekowens@fcps.edu	Fridays	H107
Liberty In North Korea "LINK"	To promote awareness of North Korea crisis, provide service to benefit the situation and t participate in events pertaining to the cause.	Theresa Viswanathan	tmviswanatha@fcps.edu	See sponsor	H125
Literary Magazine "Smoke Signals"	PUBLICATIONS - LIT MAGAZINE **Please see sponsor for details	Dirk Schulze; Sonja Curry-Johnson	drschulze@fcps.edu ; SCurryJohnso@fcps.edu	See sponsor	B229
Military Ambassador's Club	Provides incoming military children contacts and potential peer mentor to make their transition to LBSS a success.	Shaun Conlin	ssconlin@fcps.edu	Monthly - Thursdays	H140
Model United Nations	Model UN is a student run organization that simulates the United Nations by debate, student leadership, and resolution of problems. Members compete at conferences both locally and nationally. Also, students compete both individually and as a team by representing a chosen country.	Mark Faust	MBFaust@fcps.edu	See sponsor	J222
Muslim Student Association	To create a positive awareness of Muslim student body at LBSS. To discuss, learn, develop confidence and participate in activities involving Islam.	Fauzia Farouq	FFarouq@fcps.edu	Mondays	H128
Ocean Bowl Club	Students interested in marine science and participating in the National Ocean Sciences Bowl.	Christian Bonnaffon	cabonnaffon@fcps.edu	See sponsor	A216
Paintball Interest Club	To bring together students with a common interest in paintball. To provide information on the elements of planning, strategy, and teamwork for the game of paintball.	Michael Henrich	MRHenrich@fcps.edu	Once a Month. See sponsor	H212
Poetry N.O.W.	Student will learn about writing and to improve public speaking skills. It will encourage expression through words and build confidence for performance. Still also engage in writing and perform poetry through workshops.	Cindy Steiner	casteiner@fcps.edu	Tuesdays	B227
Ready. Set. Code	A computer programming club that allows students to share and explore programming languages, programming design, and programming application, such as cyber security, app design, and game design.	Eva Anderson	edanderson@fcps.edu	Every other Monday	H224 - computer lab
Red Cross Club	Students will be educated in safety, disaster preparedness and health related diseases. Students will raise awareness by participating in projects/activities that works with the American Red Cross to fulfill humanitarian missions.	Paul Dean	PVDean@fcps.edu	Monthly - Fridays	H102
Robotics Club	Design, build, use and better understand programming, hardware, and robotics. To discuss new developments in robotic technology and share interesting robotic opportunities.	Robert Irelan	RWIrelan@fcps.edu	2-4 times a year	H232
Rocketry Club	To understand the physics and mathematics behind controlling and launching model rockets. Building, launching model rockets and competing in Team America Rocketry Challenge (T.A.R.C.).	Besty DeSouza-Wyatt	BCDesouzaWya@fcps.edu	See sponsor	H129

Science Olympiad Club	Science Olympiad is a national non-profit organization dedicated to improving the quality of K-12 science education, increasing male, female and minority interest in science, creating a technologically-literate workforce and providing recognition for outstanding achievement by both students and teachers. These goals are achieved by participating in Science Olympiad tournaments and non-competitive events, incorporating Science Olympiad into classroom curriculum and attending teacher training institutes.	Emily Owens	ekowens@fcps.edu	See sponsor	H107
Science Research Club	**No description given. Please see sponsor for details	Karen Carney	krcarney@fcps.edu	See sponsor	H122
Second Language Penpals	Is a penpal system among students at LBSS that will provide an extra opportunity to use the foreign language they are studying. This will improve multilingual communication skills and connect student to peers who have similar interests.	Dana Quart	deouart@fcps.edu	See sponsor	C222
She's the First	To advocate for global education equality in their local communities and around the world. Work towards a more equal world and to become more informed about the issues facing women and girls world-wide.	Adriene Lowery	alowry@fcps.edu	Mondays and Thursdays	L232
Social Entrepreneurship Club	The purpose of this club is to educate interested LBSS student in ways that social entrepreneurship and microfinance can benefit global poverty. Members will learn about global poverty, economics, credit, and how small loans, microfinance and social entrepreneurship can change people's lives for the better	Miriam Lynch	MSLynch@fcps.edu	See sponsor	A215
Student Ambassadors Club	To assist new students in becoming an integral part of the Bruin community.	Shaun Conlin	ssconlin@fcps.edu	Tuesdays Twitter @LBambassadors	H140
Students For Gender Equality	To provide a forum to discuss gender equality issues, to develop better understanding of the causes and identify possible ways to reduce and correct the challenges that students face. The goal is to cultivate respect for all individuals, form student-adult partnerships, and create a safe school environment for all students.	Krista Gallagher	kegallagher@fcps.edu	Wednesdays afterschool	L230
Veg Club	To learn more about the health benefits and environmental impact. To educate students through their meatless and/or dairyless diet and to teach students how to get all the necessary nutrients from a plant based diet.	Emily Owens	kowens@fcps.edu	Tuesdays	H107
Women in Government	To encourage, inform, and promote students to consider their potential in government and to increase students' knowledge about American Administration.	Teresa Rose	TRBoli@fcps.edu	See sponsor	B213
Young Democrats	The Young Democrats is a youth-led, national, partisan political organization. Young Democrats mobilizes young people to participate in the electoral process, influences the ideals of the Democratic Party, and develops the skills of the youth generation to serve as leaders at the local and national level.	Mark Faust	MBFaust@fcps.edu	See sponsor	J222
Young Conservatives Club	The Young Conservatives plan to bring together students of all political parties who hold the same conservative values. The club will also help student members to increase their understanding of the United States political process, encourage healthy debate, and provide opportunities to be involved in local political activities.	Mark Purdy	MPurdy@fcps.edu	Once a Month - on late bus days	M140