



SPMS Clubs & Activities 2023-2024



PE Extracurricular Activities

Morning Intramurals:

8:05 a.m-8:55 a.m.

Tuesday, Thursday

All students are invited to participate in morning intramurals by grade level. Students are required to wear their PE uniform and proper footwear. Students are allowed to change into their PE uniform once at school. Intramural activities include dodgeball and soccer. Contact Ms. Peterson or Mr. Lentz If you have questions.

TuesdayAM: Indoor Soccer-AllGrade Levels

Thursday AM:Dodgeball -All Grade Levels

Math/Chess Club

Students who enjoy problem solving, competition, and math are invited to join Math/Chess Club! Here you will meet other students and engage in friendly competitions in both Math and Chess while preparing to compete in the 24 Math Challenge, MathCounts as well as a schoolwide Chess Tournament. We will play games, solve complex puzzles and problems, engage in competitions, and just have fun! This club meets every Thursday morning, 8:05- 8:50 starting 9/28/22. See Ms. Hughes (A111) or Mr. Looock (A114) for more information.

Start Date: 9/28

Meetings: Thursday Mornings Room A111

Environmental Club

Do you have an interest in the environment and making the earth a better place? In this club, students will have fun while developing an appreciation for the environment. Students will participate in projects and activities focusing on

environmental issues. Club members will be asked to assist with the Severna Park EarthDay Festival in April. Meeting dates/times will be read on the morning announcements prior to the meetings. Students will be asked to complete a registration/permission form and get the form signed by a parent/guardian. See Mr. Philip in room E-101 for more information.

Meetings: Announced Tuesdays before school, announced Tuesdays after school, and during Flex on announced days. Room E101

Terrapin Club

Students will experience the raising of a terrapin and gain knowledge about other native species in the Chesapeake Bay Watershed. Students can expect a variety of activities including collecting terrapin growth data, maintaining a clean aquatic environment for our terrapin, outdoor experiences and more! Meeting dates will be on the announcements prior to the date. We will meet in Mrs. Werre's classroom E105.

Meetings: Announced Thursday Mornings 8:15-9:00 am Room E105

Student Government Association (SGA)

Student Government Association (SGA) - The Student Government Association will provide and encourage student leadership opportunities within the school and county settings. Students will hold office as either a general board member, House of Representatives or Executive Board Member. Members of SGA will disseminate information appropriate to each grade level, and other duties requested/arise.

Meetings: Flex, Period 5th or 6th Room E109



Black-Eyed Susan Book Club

All students are invited to join us for book discussions, activities, and literary themed events throughout the school year. The purpose of this program is to inspire reading for pleasure and promote life-long reading habits by encouraging students to read, discuss, and enjoy quality, contemporary literature. See Mrs. Thomas in the Media Center for more information.

Meetings: Before School - as announced Media Center



Chorus Extracurricular Activities

Varsity Choir

Do you have a passion for singing? Are you taking chorus? If so, join us for Varsity Choir auditions September 11th - 15th from 4:00-7:00pm in room M105. For more information and to sign up for an audition time, please go to www.spmssings.org. The first rehearsal will be **Monday, September 21st** and we meet **every Monday from 4:00-6:00p.m.** There will be a mandatory parent meeting for those accepted immediately after the first rehearsal until 7:00pm. Performances this year include seasonal concerts, the State House, SP Feeder Recruitment Tour, and Music in The Parks. You must audition, be a Spartan Lyrical Society member, and be enrolled in an SPMS chorus class in order to join Varsity Choir.

Spring Musical

The spring musical, Freaky Friday, will be presented from April 26th-28th. **Vocal auditions will be held on January 16th & 17th while dance auditions will be held on January 18th.** We will hold an Audition Jitters Workshop on **Tuesday, January 2nd from 4:15-5:15pm.** There will be a parent information session following the workshop from **5:15-5:45pm.** For more information, go to www.spmssings.org.

A Cappella Club

"Do you love to sing? Do you love making new friends? Do you love cool music with no instruments? Come join SPMS's A Cappella Club! Every Thursday during FLEX this student-led, collaborative group will rehearse music of their own choosing with the help of Ms. Titus. Whether you like performing or just want to pretend to be Pentatonix, all are welcome to come sing with us! We hope to see you there!"

Meetings: During Flex on Thursdays Room M105

Multicultural Student Union

The Multicultural Student Union will celebrate all cultures and promote diversity within our school. The club will be sponsored by Mrs. Cheatam and Ms. K. White

Meetings: 6th Period Flex Room A118

The Crafting Club

During this club, students will be creating seasonal crafts to bring home. The club is limited to 20 students a class.

Start date: 10/4/23

Meetings: Wednesdays during flex Room A133

The Spark, A Student Led Newspaper

Students write, edit, and layout articles for the school's student-produced newspaper, *The Spark*, which comes out three times a year.

Start date: Thursday, Sept. 28.

Meetings: 8:00-8:55 am, weekly C112, Mrs. Lane's Room **Must Bring Chromebook**

Yearbook Club

Do you like to take pictures? Are you interested in layout and design? Join the yearbook club! Any questions? See Mrs. Bernstein in A106. We have space for 25 students.

Starts: September 21st

Meetings: Thursdays 8:05-8:55 AM Room A106

GSA

The Gay Straight Alliance (GSA) is a safe space for LGBTQIA+ students and allies! All are welcome to join us for games, discussions, and just some quality time with your LGBTQ+ peers. We talk about identities, LGBTQ+ news, give tips and advice, and much more. You do not need to be a part of the LGBTQ+ community to join GSA. Allies welcome as well!

Meetings: Thursday mornings, 8:05-8:50 in D102; possible FLEX time meetings
TBD

Dungeons and Dragons

The D&D Club is a group where students participate in a role-playing game by creating characters and adventure into a world formulated by the Dungeon Master. We hope to exude cooperation, critical thinking, and logical skills in order to traverse puzzles and realistic scenarios through the course of these games.

Start Date: October 5th at 8:00 am

Room E118

Book Club

A quiet place for students to gather, read, and discuss their favorite books or reading materials. Students will gather, read, discuss their favorite books, and explore new options.

Meetings: Flex Period 5, Wednesdays

Room A121,

Fellowship of Christian Athletes Club

FCA will focus on helping athletes to know and grow in Christ

The methods of FCA are to engage, equip and empower student athletes

The values that FCA represents are Integrity-Serving-Teamwork-Excellence

Our Daily club meetings will look like this:

Welcome- Begins with an opening prayer

Warm Up- Ice breaker/game or group activity

Work Out- Devotional or Bible study with questions/answers and discussions

Wrap up-end with a prayer and discuss plans for next meeting

Meetings: Thursday Mornings Room C115 See Ms. Carty for details.