

# HHS Clubs and Organizations 2017-2018

## **A Capella Club – Dan Boyer**

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We are a vocal ensemble composed of male and female voices dedicated to singing A Cappella music.

## **Academic Team – Jon Moreland**

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We are a group of students who meet weekly to compete in trivia competitions. Our year culminates with selection and participation of a team of 3 students on Baltimore's "It's Academic!" quiz show. If you love trivia, competition, and getting together with other students to test your knowledge, this is the team for you.

## **Academy of Finance – Valerie Harrington**

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The AOF is a member program of the National Academy Foundation (NAF) which is the largest career academy program in the nation. NAF ensures the highest standards of excellence for each of its member academies. The AOF program is a high school course sequence that helps prepare students for careers in the financial industry. It provides both education and related experiences necessary for success in a finance related career. Through academy experiences, students gain an understanding of the connections that exist between their education and the workplace. AOF students look to their industry mentors and educational instructors for guidance and preparation that is necessary for rewarding careers.

## **Anime – Jayme Pieretti**

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We watch and discuss various forms of Japanese media/culture.

## **Archaeology – Jeff Cunningham**

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This club works in conjunction with the Archaeological Society of Maryland to work on projects, excavations and fundraisers all to advance the field of archaeology and build networks for future career opportunities. Students will meet weekly and handle artifacts as well as plan trips and events.

## **Art Club – Maria Miller**

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The Art Club is a student run organization which gives time and space for creative visual expression through drawing, painting, clay or other medium. Meetings will be held each Friday, with one of the officers presenting an art technique. If you would prefer to just have a place to do your artwork, and possibly get feedback from others that also can be done. Come join us for a creative experience.

## **Badminton – Casey Golden**

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Badminton has been played as a competitive sport since the mid-1800s and it has been an Olympic sport since 1992. Did you know that it is the fastest racket sport on earth? Students have the opportunity to play competitively or for recreation. We play Wednesdays-A Lunch.

### **Band Program/Instrumental Music – Dr. Don Naumann**

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A scheduled class during the school day, we rehearse and perform challenging band literature and perform public concerts throughout the year.

### **Basketball Pep Band – Dr. Don Naumann**

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We rehearse and perform “stand tunes” for all home varsity basketball games.

### **Best Buddies – Rachel Dove**

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Best Buddies is an international organization dedicated to establishing a global volunteer movement that creates opportunities for one-to-one friendships, integrated employment, and leadership development for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. The organization was founded in 1989 by Anthony Kennedy Shriver and has grown to more than 1500 college, high school, and middle school campuses across the country and internationally. This year’s program coordinates working with students to develop friendships, social skills and leadership skills. Any student needing social skills development is strongly urged to participate. Participants will learn peer-to-peer conversational skills, friendship skills, and leadership skills. Participation in our school's Unified Sports teams (tennis, weightlifting, bocce ball, and track) is also encouraged.

### **Book Club – Robert Martin**

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The Book Club is a student run and teacher sponsored club that meets every other Wednesday during B-Lunch in L 304 (alternating Wednesdays). The meetings are open to any student that loves to read and has a desire to share what they have learned and experienced by reading a book. The books that the club selects will be titles that are not part of the current English curriculum. Throughout the school year, the club members will select titles of books that coincide with seasons, holidays, Black History month, etc. We look forward to having you take part in our club.

### **BRO’s – Brothers Reaching Out – VaShawne Gross, Dr. Nathan Kimbro, Andrew Clas, and Tobias Jenifer**

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The purpose of BRO’s is to inspire young, black students to foster enduring, supportive, and positive relationships in order to improve educational performance, school attendance, behavior, and interpersonal relationships with peers and adults. In doing so, we hope these young men will reach back out and set examples for other young black males. Our hope is that, by becoming active and productive citizens of the community, these young men will help improve the views and stereotypes young black males face in today’s society.

### **Calculator Club – Robert Martin**

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The Calculator Club is for students wanting to learn (relearn) how to use programs and functionality of a Texas Instruments graphing calculator.

### **Choral Music Program – Dan Boyer**

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The choral music program has a variety of choirs to meet the vocal proficiency of the students at Huntingtown High School. The literature studied varies from traditional choral music to popular and secular selections.

## **Class Council**

### **-Senior (2018) – Jamie Rowder**

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The Senior Class Council is a group that organizes various activities as well as makes important decisions for senior year. They organize fundraisers, participate in Homecoming events, and plan activities for graduation. Important decisions that the council determines are things like how t-shirts for Homecoming and the end of the year are designed, where the Senior class trip will be, and what graduation announcements will look like.

### **-Junior (2019) – Amy Trainer, Tara Enright**

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Junior Class Council will plan for the Prom this year! We also plan Homecoming activities, Senior trip, Senior shirt, and much more. Get the spirit and join your class council!

### **-Sophomore (2020) – Kristin Bloom**

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The Sophomore Class Council conducted elections this year, participated in Homecoming events and completed several fundraisers. Discussions involved future class projects, class T-Shirts, fundraising goals and community projects, both for HHS and in the general community.

### **-Freshman (2021) – Sharon Hoetzlein-Sirman**

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The Freshman Class Council plans for Homecoming events, class activities and fundraisers, prom, graduation, senior trip, etc.

## **Coding Club – Don Scopel**

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Learn computer coding or improve your current skills. Student tutors will teach various coding languages to interested students of all abilities.

## **Computer Bowl Team – Tom Currier**

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We meet once a week and practice for our two competitions. (The Calvert County Computer Bowl, and the SMECO Computer Bowl - both are held in the late winter). The students are given programs to write as quickly as possible and demonstrate their knowledge of technology and computers in general.

## **Crochet for the Bay – Priscilla McQuighan**

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Would you like to work in a place with many opportunities while helping your community in the process, a place that is filing to become one of the youngest Non-Profit Organizations to start in the state of Maryland, or maybe none of these things matter to you and you would just like a fun way to get service learning hours? Well Crochet for the Bay is just the place for you! Is crafting not your thing? No problem, we do other tasks such as vending, beach sweeping, accounting, computer tech, and much more within the C4B community. Our meetings are on Fridays during A & B lunches, but if lunches don't work we also meet online.

## **Debate Club: Ibeth Sebo**

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The Debate Club is a place for people to talk about political issues and current events, learning how to debate and understand other points of view along the way. Everyone is welcome, no matter what your views or experience, and we hope to have a diverse range of opinions.

## **DECA (Distributive Education Clubs of America) – Teresa Grauer**

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This is a comprehensive learning program that offers exciting opportunities that connect instruction to college and careers. The program supports the study of marketing, business management, finance and hospitality and provides students with the opportunity to compete, travel, and network with others.

## **Environmental Club- Jamie Rowder**

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Members help design and implement eco-friendly structures to improve the aesthetics and environmental footprint of Huntingtown High School while modeling and promoting green practices in the school community.

## **Envirothon – Jamie Rowder**

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The Envirothon is an environmental competition perfect for students who love being outdoors and have an interest in natural resources management. Team members participate in training sessions with professionals in the fields of forestry, wildlife, soils, and aquatics. Training sessions are held during FLEX lunch as well as during an out-of-school field trip. The county competition is held in April or May with the winning team advancing to the state Envirothon in June. All participants receive t-shirts, and each member of the county's winning team receives an award of \$100.00.

## **Equity Team – Bryan Mullins**

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The Student Equity team promotes awareness for our unconscious bias toward gender, sexuality, ethnicity, religion, and race. Equity is a matter of accepting and embracing each other's differences.

## **FBLA (Future Business Leaders of America) – Teresa Grauer**

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FBLA is the largest business career student organization in the world. The mission is to bring business and education together in a positive working relationship through innovative leadership and career development programs. FBLA focuses on education, career, and personal growth as well as community service.

## **FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes) – Lauren Helm**

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FCA is a faith-based, student-led, non-denominational opportunity for believers to meet together for fellowship, devotions, worship, and prayer. We meet in E110 room during A lunch on Tuesdays. FCA also participates in occasional serving opportunities, such as visiting nursing homes and volunteering for End Hunger/Farming for Hunger.

## **FEA (Future Educators Association) – Karen Tolson**

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FEA is a national student organization dedicated to supporting students interested in education-related careers. Founded in 1937, FEA has helped thousands of students to develop the skills and strong leadership traits that are found in high-quality educators. FEA tries to encourage strong and creative students to join the club to help change the world through teaching.

## **Gay/Straight Alliance- Karen Wood and Justin Koch**

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Gay/Straight Alliance is a group dedicated to promoting acceptance and tolerance among students and staff. Students are encouraged to attend Gay Straight Alliance meetings to learn about LGBTQ activism and how to support others in our

school. Meetings are open to everyone and provide an encouraging place to chat and meet up with others.

### **Girl Talk – Casey Golden**

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Girl Talk Club will meet in the girls' locker room. More like a social club, girls can come eat lunch, talk or just hang out.

### **Girl Up Club – Rachael Younkers**

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Girl Up is a club created to encourage and unite girls around the Globe to change the world. It is a nationwide organization through the United Nations Foundation, having almost 1,900 clubs across the globe and nearly half a million teen advocates, in 98 countries! Girl Up Clubs are full of dedicated youth who have joined together to take action and change lives, empowering both people in their own communities and adolescent girls in developing countries to rise up. We are hoping to do fundraisers, advocacy, and service to improve not only our community but also the world.

<https://girlup.org/take-action/be-a-leader/girl-up-clubs/starter-guide/#sthash.RpQhdcYK.dpbs>

### **Girls Who Code – Tom Currier**

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Girls Who Code is a national club that is focused on getting young women interested in computers in general and coding in particular. Besides fine tuning our computer skills, we will have guest speakers from women in the field, and even go on field trips to enrich and encourage. The best part is that you don't have to know anything about computers - just show up to Mr. Currier's room during B lunch on Mondays.

### **The Humane Society Club – Lynne Gillis**

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Our purpose is to advocate for animals, learn about careers working with animals, learn about animal welfare issues, engage in community animal events, and share the message that animals matter.

### **Jazz Ensemble– Dr. Don Naumann**

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Rehearse and perform challenging jazz style literature at public concerts throughout the year.

### **Key Club – Rachel Dove**

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Caring–Our Way of Life

Key Club is an international, student-led organization which provides its members with opportunities to provide service, build character, and develop leadership skills. The core values of Key Club International are leadership, character building, caring and inclusiveness. Our meetings are filled with service projects, fun, and companionship. Come, make new friends, help others, and meet new people.

### **Marching Hurricanes – Dr. Don Naumann**

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Rehearse and perform for all home Varsity Football games and at Tournament of Bands Competitions throughout the Mid-Atlantic region.

### **Marching Hurricanes Color Guard – Dr. Don Naumann**

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Competitive marching color guard, known as the auxiliary unit with the Marching Hurricanes. They learn complex choreography and flag design work, adding to the overall performance capability of the competitive Marching Hurricane organization. Members rehearse and perform for all home Varsity Football games and at Tournament of Bands Competitions throughout the Mid-Atlantic region.

### **Math Club – Dr. Johnson Mathew**

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The purpose of the Math Club is to create a community within our school of students who enjoy math and are interested in exploring career opportunities in math. The Math Club competes in several math competitions throughout the year. These include: Math Madness, University of Maryland Math Competition, Who Wants to be a Mathematician, American Mathematics Competition and the Moody Mega Math Challenge. During weekly meetings, we prepare for competitions and hold our own in-school competitions. In the Spring, we will visit Patuxent River Naval Air Station, and Math Day at Six Flags Amusement Park. The Math Club regularly has guest speakers to visit to discuss math careers. The Math Club also provides math tutoring to fellow students at HHS. The Math Club also has its own t-shirts.

### **Meditation Club – Kelly McLaughlin**

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Are you overwhelmed and/or stressed out? Do you need a place to decompress and rejuvenate your mind and soul? Spend 25 min meditating on Thursdays "B" lunch in M-322. We will experience guided and self-awareness mediation in a safe atmosphere. Topics will include "Stepping Stones to Mindfulness", "Clearing the Mind", "Embracing Our Flaws" and many, many more! Join us!

### **Men's Chorus – Dan Boyer**

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Chorus which focuses solely on literature for men's voices.

### **Mentorship Program – Lynne Gillis**

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This program provides help to students at HHS struggling with various issues. Students are paired with mentors, meeting regularly or as needed.

### **MESA (Mathematics, Engineering, Science Achievement) – Jill Twetten, Sara Wiles**

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MESA focuses on engaging students in hands-on applications of science, technology, engineering, and math concepts through project- and competition-based activities. This year's activities include effective communications, the cyber robot challenge, basswood bridge building, and prosthetic arm competitions. The team competes at the regional level in an effort to qualify for state and national competitions.

### **Millionaire's Club – Teresa Grauer**

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The Millionaire's Club is a complete financial skills program was developed by the Foundation working with professionals from non-profit banking, education, and financial literacy disciplines. The focus is on delivering a meaningful learning experience to Club members that will provide lifelong personal finance skills so members avoid financial pitfalls, and prosper in our always-challenging financial world.

### **Mock Trial – Bryan Mullins, Justin Koch**

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Have you ever wanted to argue a case in a real courtroom? Here is your chance to stand in front of the judge and seek justice. This is also a great opportunity to practice your acting and public speaking skills. Students participate as lawyers and witnesses competing against other schools in the area. If you have a love of justice, law, or simply want to be involved in a fun and challenging organization, try out for Mock Trial today!

### **Mu Alpha Theta – Cathy Martin**

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Mu Alpha Theta is the National High School and Two-Year College Mathematics Honor Society. We are dedicated to inspiring keen interest in mathematics, developing strong scholarship in the subject, and promoting the enjoyment of mathematics throughout the school. We will provide a method to recognize and encourage those students who enjoy and excel in mathematics. We will also acknowledge outstanding extracurricular achievement through the members' participation in math competitions at the local and national level in conjunction with the Math Club. Students must apply and meet specific GPA requirements for membership.

### **NAHS (The National Art Honor Society) – Heather Smith**

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The National Art Honor Society program was formed to inspire and recognize students who have shown an outstanding ability and interest in art. The NAHS strives to aid members in attaining the highest standards in art scholarship, character, and service. Students have the opportunity to gain peer recognition, show their artwork in the community (CalvArt Gallery, Calvert Marine Museum), be involved in leadership growth opportunities, prepare for college and career, and experience an unmatched sense of camaraderie. NAHS Standards and Requirements: Students must have a full credit in Art before being recommended by an Art teacher and considered for membership. An Art teacher's recommendation will be based on character, service, scholarship, talent, and work habits. Members must maintain a cumulative Art GPA of 87.5%, with no grade lower than 80%. Members must maintain a cumulative GPA of 80% in other classes, with no grade lower than 70%. Students must get character references by all of their teachers and administrator. Students cannot have any suspensions. Members must be enrolled in an Art class each year to be active.

### **NBHS (National Business Honor Society) – Denise McClellan**

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This organization promotes and recognizes student achievement in business courses. Students must apply and meet specific GPA requirements.

### **NHS (National Honor Society) – Maggie Wilkosz**

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Chapter members meet to discuss upcoming service opportunities. Students must apply to join.

### **NJROTC – George Hartwell**

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*For NJROTC cadets only*

**Drill Team:** Armed and unarmed close order drill and color guard.

**Air Rifle Team:** Competes in marksmanship competitions with Sporter Air Rifles.

**Orienteering Club:** Competitors run competition courses using land navigation skills, a compass, and topographic map.

**Athletics Club:** Involves competing in all types of sporting and strength events.

**Academics Team:** Test your knowledge of the world's greatest Navy and Marine Corps Team.

**Cyber Patriot:** CyberPatriot is the National Youth Cyber Education Program. There are three main programs within CyberPatriot: The National Youth Cyber Defense Competition, AFA CyberCamps and the Elementary School Cyber Education Initiative. CyberPatriot was conceived by the Air Force Association (AFA) to inspire high school students toward careers in cybersecurity or other science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) disciplines critical to our nation's future.

### **Orchestra – Sara Moran**

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Orchestra is taught at three different levels at HHS. String Orchestra is primarily for incoming freshmen or advanced students who wish to learn a new instrument. Advanced String Orchestra is for 10<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> graders who advance through grade 4 and 5 music. Symphony Orchestra adds winds, percussion and brass to the advanced string players in order to play full symphony literature.

### **P-7 – Tara Enright**

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P-7 is a student-led Bible study club. They meet on Monday, A-lunch, in M 308.

### **P.R.O.U.D – Dr. Zelma Mark**

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P.R.O.U.D. (People Recovering from Overwhelming Underlying Dysfunctions) club meets twice a month and is for any student who is looking for extra peer support for anxiety, depression, low self-esteem, or abuse. Our goal is to let students share their problems in a safe environment and offer them support.

### **Politics and Philosophy – Jon Moreland**

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The Politics and Philosophy Club will meet weekly to discuss important questions facing our citizens, our nation, and our world. Rather than focus on narrow policy debates, our discussions will emphasize broader philosophical and political issues. Any student interested in intellectually stimulating discussions with fellow students are encouraged to attend.

### **Pre-Med Club – TBD**

Pre-Med Club is the perfect club for anyone interested in a career in the field of healthcare. Throughout the year we will discover and discuss health related topics (such as different body systems and case studies) to widen our medical horizons and enhance our knowledge. We will also learn about the vast career options available in the medical world, as well as hear from various guest speakers to gain firsthand knowledge. Our main goal, however, is to have fun!

### **Psychology Club – Jen Sammons**

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The Psychology Club is an opportunity for those interested in psychology to explore the topic of psychology further, promote mental health awareness at HHS, provide resources for stress relief for students, and research careers in the field.

### **Relay 4 Life – Diana Roof**

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Unfortunately, cancer touches almost everyone's life in one way or another. If you want to make a difference in the fight against cancer, join us! We meet weekly on Fridays during A lunch and raise money throughout the year for the



American Cancer Society. Many students also attend the Calvert County Relay for Life Event in June. All are welcome! If you can't attend our meetings, but would like to be involved, contact Mrs. Roof.

### **Rho Kappa (National Social Studies Honor Society) – Jeff Cunningham**

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Acceptance into this society is through application and committee selection. Once admitted, we ask students to become leaders in the school and community. Our focus is centered on running the History Club, assisting with History Fair by tutoring, and helping with other school functions tied with Social Studies. We ask students to be present every Tuesday during lunch unless there is an excusable reason for missing and it has been approved by a Rho Kappa leader. This is a great way for students to take on a leadership role without having to have a perfect GPA.

### **Rubik's Cube – Dr. Grace Hanners**

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Have you ever wanted to learn to solve the Rubik's cube? Well, now is your chance. Join us in J209 during Thursday's A lunch on alternating weeks. We have plenty of cubes for you to use. If you already know how to solve the cube, you can work on getting faster and learning alternate methods. We may even compete with other schools.

### **Save the Bees – Don Scopel**

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The Bee Club will educate the school population about the issues concerning the importance of bees and other pollinators and the problems negatively affecting their populations. We will create and maintain a pollinator garden at HHS.

### **SGA (Student Government Association) – Sharon Hoetzlein-Sirman**

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SGA is an association for all grade levels. Do you want to get involved and become a voice in your school community? Do you want to learn leadership skills? Do you want to get to know students from other high schools in the county? Do you want to build your college resumé? Then...this is the group for you! We meet weekly (Tuesdays, A lunch) to discuss school issues, plan community outreach activities, and build students' leadership skills. Some of the activities that SGA is in charge of include STORMCOMING (formerly known as Homecoming), Santa Calls, Festival of Trees, holiday functions at Calvert Pines, and so much more.

### **Softball Club – Michael Johnson**

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Time is allocated for present and prospective softball players to gather info for playing softball at the high school level and in preparation for playing at the college level.

### **Spanish Club – Amy Hoch**

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The Spanish club promotes exposure to and understanding of Hispanic communication, culture, and cuisine. Tutoring for those taking Spanish is offered and anyone is welcome to stop by E112 on Wednesdays during B lunch.

### **Spirit Club – Sharon Hoetzlein-Sirman**

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We collaborate with the Athletic Booster Club to generate enthusiasm and pride for HHS.

### **STEM Club – Radhika Plakkot**

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Students will experience interesting STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) activities in this club. They will design and conduct investigations, write grants, arrange field trips, and invite speakers to give seminars. They will attend the USA Science and Engineering Festival in Washington, DC. Students will also participate in STEM symposiums and science competitions, organize technology classes for the students in HHS, and will also be involved in arranging STEM activities for younger students during the Calvert County Science and Engineering Expo.

### **Stock Market Club – Rob James**

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Stock Market Club is an organization that explores how to invest money. Students participate as a team in online stock market simulations where students invest \$100,000 over a specified period of time. Students compete against other schools to see who makes the most money.

### **STS (Student to Student) – Linnea Haines**

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We reach out to all new students and give them an instant connection with clubs, school activities, and the student body. We make sure they feel welcome at their new school and have friendly faces to greet them.

### **Student Senate – Rick Weber & Loren Grimes**

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Student Senate meets monthly with Mr. Weber and Mrs. Lewis. During the meetings, students have a chance to share their point of view on various school topics. Student Senate has at least one student representative from every club and sport at HHS.

### **Students for Life – Jeff Cunningham**

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Are you passionate about defending the innocent and protecting the value of human life? Then come join the Huntingtown High School Students for Life club! We meet Fridays B lunch in I-210. Our goal is to spread the positive pro-life message through advocacy both inside and outside of the school. We believe that all human life has immeasurable value from conception to natural death. It is our responsibility to change the political and cultural climate to ensure the dignity of every human life, starting with the smallest child. To quote Dr. Seuss, "A person's a person, no matter how small." We are committed to defending mothers and their preborn children from the genocide of abortion as well as protecting life at all stages. Stand with us to save lives and to make a difference!

### **TARS – Lynne Gillis**

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TARS (Teen Age Republican Students) is open to any HHS student desiring to learn more about the Republican party. Goals include electing Republicans to office at the local, state and federal level; training future political leaders; developing leaders; and engaging in community service. The club meets every Thursday A Lunch in Room E-113.

### **Theatre – Derek Anderson**

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Theatre Club (formerly known as Drama Club) is a student-centered performance-based company that produces at least two main stage shows a year. Students involved in the group can act on stage and work behind the scenes. Over one

hundred students are involved in our spring musical. Students design and build sets, costumes, lights, sound, props, makeup and hair. No previous experience is needed.

### **TIE (Transitioning into Excellence) – Amy Gibson**

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Provides student to student academic tutoring and mentoring for all subject areas, as well as resume writing, help with college essays and applications, and standardized test preparation. We will help anyone who asks us, but our focus is students who are transitioning into more challenging classes.

### **Tri-M Music Honor Society – Sara Moran**

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Tri-M is a nation-wide honor society for students in grades 10 – 12 who are enrolled in a music performance class. Selection is based on GPA (87.5), teacher recommendation and written application. Tri-M is a community service organization that seeks to improve the world through music. Our members perform for the community, offer private lessons and provide other musical services.

### **Unified Outdoor Bocce – Rachel Dove, Tina Crawmer**

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Bocce is an Italian game. The basic principle of the sport is to roll a bocce ball (about the size of a softball) closest to the target ball, which is called a pallina. Bocce as a Special Olympics sport provides people with special needs the opportunity to have social contact, develop physically and to gain self-confidence. Unified Sports® provides a means which brings together students with and without disabilities in a fulfilling inclusion experience. Unified Sports® teams are composed of a proportional number of students with intellectual and other types of disabilities, and students without disabilities who train and compete together on the same team.

### **The Unified Strength & Conditioning Team – Rachel Dove, Tina Crawmer**

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The Unified Strength & Conditioning Team/Club is a unique squad that involves teaching the fundamental aspects of weight training and speed/agility. Athletes work together in pairs, usually involving a student with disabilities and a support student. Under close supervision, students participate in bench press, dead lift, shuttle run, stationary bike, jump rope and long jump. Our season lasts from January 2<sup>nd</sup> through February 28<sup>th</sup>. Our goal is to encourage increased participation and competition through hard work, social interaction and team building exercises.

### **Unified Tennis – Tina Crawmer, Rachel Dove**

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Tennis is a popular sport played by players of all ages, at all levels of ability. Athletes are trained in all aspects of the game, including stroke production, court craft and the rules of competition. The sport emphasizes values, such as fair play, sportsmanship and respect for fellow competitors. Tennis is not only fun to play, but it is a lifetime sport activity that is fun to practice and fun to learn.

### **Vegetarian Club – Priscilla McQuighan**

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You do not have to be a vegetarian to join the Vegetarian Club. Members only need to have respect for vegetarianism and be willing to try new foods. Perhaps you enjoy a variety of foods, you like to experiment with new recipes, or maybe you think you want to try being a vegetarian, but do not know where to start. Don't despair! We will teach you the proper way to put plant foods together in a way that will assure that you are getting the right amounts and types of

protein. We will be tasting and/or preparing various recipes during our meetings, so come in to meet everyone during B Lunch on Fridays in Room F113.

### **VEX Robotics – Debby Heyes**

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The HHS VEX Robotics club participates in the CSM Southern Maryland VEX Competition. The team meets on Mondays during A lunch for informational sessions. The building of robots mainly takes place in meetings that are held after school from 2:30p-4:00p. The team competes in the Southern Maryland Regional competition. The team also participates in the Calvert County Science and Engineering Festival by supplying and setting up the playing field and doing robotics demonstrations.

### **Weather Girls Dance Team – Julie Rogers**

This group of talented dancers loves to share their CANE pride and school spirit. We are a Fall and Winter season team, but our competition season actually goes into the Spring season. We consider ourselves a year-round sport. The Weather Girls perform at Varsity Football games, Varsity Basketball games, and have also shared our spirit at Varsity Soccer games (girls and boys!). Our styles of dance are lyrical, jazz, pom, hip-hop and prop routines. We work hard to demonstrate our CANE pride with style and class. GO CANES!

### **Winter Sports Club – Pete Kerwin**

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The Winter Sports Club aims to bring the HHS skiing and snowboarding community together through weekend day trips. We are open to students of all skill levels and experiences.

### **Yearbook – Amy Trainer**

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Yearbook is a scheduled class with Journalism I as the prerequisite. We create, edit and produce the school's yearbook each year.

## **Extra Activities**

### **Foreign Language Honorarium – Katherine Clagett**

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Recognizes students who have at least an 85% or higher in a level III or higher foreign language class. Once a student is accepted, he/she does not need to reapply.

### **Research Help – Rachel Younkens**

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Do you need help with a project or research paper? Ms. Younkens is available to provide assistance answering all your research questions, large or small.

### **Science Fair Coordinator – Radhika Plakkot**

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Huntingtown High School students are highly encouraged to participate in the Science Fair and Science Expo. Huntingtown High School has the greatest reputation of bagging the grand prize in county fair many times. The Huntingtown team has gone beyond State level to participate in the National Intel Science Fair in Arizona. Science Fair and Science Expo participation are great experiences for the students as Science Fair and Science Expo participants

motivate the community towards STEM education. Science Fair and Science Expo are bond to increase students' confidence and love for science. It could become a turning point in a student's life to choose a STEM career.

**Social Studies Advisory – Jeff Cunningham**

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Prepare juniors and seniors for a profession in Social Studies through college review, scholarship presentations, and building college resumes.

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