

APHS Club Hub



Club	Club Goals & Overview	Staff Advisor	<u>Learn More</u>
Angler Club	Have a passion for fishing? Maybe you would like to learn how? Angler Club meets once a month and explores all freshwater fishing as well as aquatic ecology. Members participate in community sponsored fishing competitions.	Ms. Gawron & Ms. Kehn	Email Ms. Kehn or Ms. Gawron to join the Angler club at gawronb@apcsd.org kehnd@apcsd.org. The club meets on the last Wednesday of the month after school and on the last Thursday of the month during Advisory. To follow along with club announcements and events, please join the Angler Club Google Classroom.
Best Buddies	The focus of Best Buddies at APHS is the inclusion of all students. It allows for students with disabilities to make meaningful friendships with other students. These friendships can happen in 1:1 relationships or in "buddy" families. We meet 1-2 times a month for fun activities that include all!!	Mrs. Ryan	Email Mrs. Ryan at ryank@apcsd.org to join the Best Buddies club! First Meeting 9/27 2:15-3:15
Civic Ecology	 This club was created to empower students to become environmental leaders. Student driven are meant to: Provide the opportunity to explore and study our natural and developed environments. Facilitate the development of environmentally sustainable behavior. Develop our campus environment as a resource for study and environmental action. Create opportunities to promote and model environmentally sustainable behavior. 	Mrs. Sorriento	To join the Civic Ecology club email Mrs. Sorriento at sorrientol@apcsd.org
Coding Club	This is an opportunity to explore different coding languages and styles of coding. Our mission each year is to work together to identify a topic that you would like to explore in more depth and then create a plan for you to be able to explore that topic. **Our first Introductory Meeting will be Wednesday 9/21** Fall Meeting Dates: (all meetings are in room 303 from 2:15 - 3:15) Wend 9/21, Thur 9/29, Thur 10/6, Thur 10/13, Wed 10/19, Thur 10/27, Thur 11/3, Wend 11/9, Fri 11/18	Mr. Duff	To join the APHS Coding Club email Mr. Duff at duffm@apcsd.org Or stop by room 303 to express interest.
Horticulture (Garden) Club	To create an inclusive environment to learn more about nature and the world around APHS! Club members will learn to grow and care for plants, develop skills to identify plants, and hold plant sales to raise money for local organizations.	Mrs. Oldendorf	Email Mrs. Oldendorf oldendorf@apcsd.org to join the Garden club
International Club	Our goal is to support our sister school in the Dominican Republic and to explore and share cultural information about other	Mrs. Clark-Apelanz	To join the International club email Mrs. Clark-Apelanz at apelanzc@apcsd.org

	countries and cultures.		
Jazz Ensemble	The goal is to play Jazz music with other students that enjoy Jazz. This club is for band students who are interested in playing jazz and popular music in a small ensemble group. The group meets before school.	Mr. Blostein	Email Mr. Blostein at blosteinm@apcsd.org to join the Jazz Ensemble
Key Club	Key Club is a service organization that works collaboratively with Kiwanis and is the next step after Builders Club and K-Kids. Club members do service projects to benefit those in our community.	Mr. Brown & Mrs. Gaboury	Email Mr. Brown at brownj@apcsd.org or Mrs. Gaboury at gabouryv@apcsd.org to join Key Club
Knit-Wits Club	Knit-Wits is designed to be a relaxed, safe place to gather and create. This group is for those who love to crochet, knit, and possibly quilt. It is for anyone who wants to try these crafts too!	Mrs. Gaboury	Email Mrs. Gaboury at gabouryv@apcsd.org to join Knit-Wits
Masterminds Team	Masterminds is an interscholastic competition using academic trivia. We compete at other schools once a month and practice weekly in room 211.	Mr. Fairchild	To join Masterminds email Mr. Fairchild at fairchildd@apcsd.org
Mr. AP	Mr. AP is a production starring members of the senior class. Nominations are held in the fall for senior contestants, but any senior interested in being involved can be in the show. In fact we need all sorts of people to make this work! Originally, this show was done as a spoof of a beauty pageant. In recent years we have kept the same format but made the show more inclusive and by increasing the importance of the supporting roles. Underclassmen are encouraged to participate by helping with tech and stage crew roles as well as filler acts.	Mr. Kozlowski & Ms. Monroe	Email Mr. Kozlowski and/or Ms. Monroe at kozlowskik@apcsd.org monroen@apcsd.org to join Mr. AP.
National Art Honor Society	Membership to NAHS provides students with invaluable benefits/opportunities. These include but are not limited to: Access to Scholarships, National Awards, National Art Exhibits, Publication of Artwork in NAEA News, Leadership Opportunities, Service Opportunities, NAHS Digital Badge, NAHS Insignia with Resources, Student Member Certificate and Card. To Apply for and maintain membership, an eligible candidate in grades 9-12 shall: have a minimum average of B have completed at least one semester of art obtain the recommendation of an art faculty member from APHS demonstrate a strong sense of work ethic, commitment to the art community and character. Leaders within our chapter must be approved by the sponsor (Ms. Gregory) and receive a majority vote from their peers during the last meeting of the previous school year. NAHS will meet after school once/week.	Ms. Gregory	To find out more information on membership criteria for the National Art Honor Society email Ms. Gregory at gregorym@apcsd.org
National	National Honor Society recognizes students	Mr. Colbert	Email Mr. Colbert to find out

Honor Society	based on the following four pillars: character, leadership, scholarship, and service. Students with an unweighted, cumulative GPA of 90 or better are able to apply beginning in the fall of their junior year. Other requirements include 15 hours of community service prior to applying, proof of leadership and positive character. A chapter council which is elected during the last meeting of the previous school year shall consist of the chapter president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, and the chapter sponsor.		more information regarding membership criteria at colbertr@apcsd.org
NYSSMA, SUburban Council & All State	These are opportunities that come from our various ensembles. Please reach out to Mr. Blostein or Mrs. Christy for more information.	Mr. Blostein & Mrs. Christy	For more information on NYSSMA email Mr. Blostein at blosteinm@apcsd.org or Mrs. Christy at christys@apcsd.org
Odyssey of the Mind	Odyssey of the Mind is an international creative problem-solving program that engages students in their learning by allowing their knowledge and ideas to come to life in an exciting, productive environment. Teams will compete at the local level in March 2023 with the possibility of going on to the state competition, and then worlds.	Mrs. Miller	Email Mrs. Miller at millera@apcsd.org OotM@apcsd.org INTEREST MEETING: Tuesday, 9/27 OR 10/4, after school at ALGONQUIN, room 714, 2:40-3:15. You can get off the bus at AMS and wait in the foyer until dismissal is complete.
Off Broadway Players (OBP)	This club is for anyone interested in ANY of the aspects of theater and performing arts. Our work and passion extends way beyond acting. We work with all aspects backstage as well including: costuming, lighting, set construction, set design (painting, etc.), advertising, props AND MORE! We will be having two performances this year, a drama and a musical, that have auditioned roles for our actors, but there is a way for everyone to be involved in the success of these productions. Come join in the fun!!!	Mr. Kozlowski and Ms. Monroe	To join OBP, email Mr. Kozlowski at kozlowskik@apcsd.org or Ms. Monroe at monroen@apcsd.org
Pathfinders	This club is a tabletop role playing games. Dungeon and Dragons, Good Society, Call of Cthula and Elder Scrolls IV. We meet Tuesday starting September 19th. Collaborative storytelling with action with adventure and intrigue.	Mrs. Pauly	To join Pathfinders club, email Mrs. Pauly at paulys@apcsd.org
Pep Band	Pep Band performs at home sporting events and invites students to show their school spirit along with us.	TBD	To join Pep Band, email TBD
Robotics Club	Join the Robotics Club and develop your engineering, coding and teamwork skills. Our goal is for our teams to continuously improve allowing more teams to qualify and compete at New York State Level.	Mr. Duff and Ms. Lambright	To join Robotics club, email the advisors: duffm@apcsd.org or lambrightk@apcsd.org
Sexuality Acceptance and Gender Acceptance SAGA)	SAGA's goal is to create a safe space for members of the LGBTQ community and their allies.	Mrs. Park	To join SAGA, email Mrs. Park at parkm@apcsd.org
Strategy & Gaming Club	The Strategy & Gaming Club is a place where all students can enjoy and share their love of gaming. If you are an avid video game, card	Mr. Porter	Email Mr. Porter at porterb@apcsd.org to join the Strategy & Gaming

	game, board game, or strategy game player than this club is for you. Students may come to as few or as many meetings as they would like and are encouraged to bring in their favorite games to share.		club
Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD)	Helping students make healthy decisions, including educating peers about substance use risks and building mental health awareness. SADD promotes events that focus on improving wellness and being above the influence.	Ms. Favro and Mr. Plantz	Email Ms. Favro at favrok@apcsd.org or Mr. Plantz at plantzj@apcsd.org to join SADD
Student Government	This club will meet each Wednesday during advisory in room 220. All are welcome to become a part of the AP Student Government. President- Paula DeAndres Vice President-Jordan Bernstein Secretary-Kay Tichy Treasurer- Cecelia Colton Class Representative-TBD Charity Coordinator-TBD Social Media Coordinator-TBD APHS Sports Coordinator-TBD	Mr. Goodnow	Email Mr. Goodnow goodnowj@apcsd.org to join the Student Government
Student Newspaper The Chronicle	This club meets once a month in room 211. We write, edit, and publish the school newspaper. If you think you might be interested in covering sports or movies or writing an editorial, this might be your bailiwick.	Mr. Fairchild	To join the Student Newspaper email Mr. Fairchild at fairchildd@apcsd.org
WAPH-TV Morning Announcements	The goal is to have a student run TV studio that informs everyone of what is happening at APHS. Be a part of the morning announcement production team by joining WAPH-TV!	Mr. Engel	To join WAPH-TV email Mr. Engel at engelb@apcsd.org
Unique Opportunities Club	The goal of this club is for students to plan, organize, fundraise for, and carry out activities outside of the school day. These trips /activities do not need to be connected to a specific class. Through fundraising, interested students will be able to reduce the cost of their experience.	Ms. Freeman	Email Ms. Freeman at freemann@apcsd.org to join the Unique Opportunities club Google classroom code: vrmdmf6
Literary Club (formerly Writing Club)	Literary Club acts as a combination between last year's Writing Club and a book club! Students may come to read the voted on book and engage in discussion, or may come to work on personal writing projects. Both sections will intermingle, and students are welcome to partake in one, the other, or both! If you love all things literature, then this is the club for you!	Mr. Porter	Email Mr. Porter at porterb@apcsd.org to join Writing club
Yearbook The Threshold	Yearbook Club will be moving ahead in September, as one year rolls into the next! This is a great opportunity to show your leadership and creativity in designing a memorable yearbook for our school!	Ms. Bailey	Join Yearbook Staff!: Ms. Bailey at baileya@apcsd.org First meeting: Sept. 15 After school, Room 205
YMCA Youth and Government (YAG)	YAG is a statewide program where students collaborate in a group to write their own state legislation, propose their bill, argue in pro/con debate, and vote. There will be informal weekly school club meetings, a few Capital Region conferences, and a State Conference in March, 2024.	Mr. Giannone	Email Mr. Giannone at giannonej@apcsd.org to join YMCA Youth in Government club.
Young Activist Club	Young Activist Club exists to raise awareness for issues both in and out of our school community. Additionally, the students in the club choose causes and fundraise to	Mr. Zehnder	To join the Young Activist club email Mr. Zehnder at zehnderj@apcsd.org

	make donations to these causes. Past donations have been given to an organization helping young women in Afghanistan to receive an education and feminine hygiene products for local shelters.		We meet every other Tuesday in advisory Google Classroom Add Code: mibrr2y
9th Grade Class	President- Vice President- Secretary- Treasurer-	Mr. Engel	Officers hold elected positions. Mr. Engel is the 9th grade class advisor: engelb@apcsd.org
10th Grade Class	President-Tyler Bradley Vice President-Frederick Bornn Secretary-Hazel Miller Treasurer-Tessa Keeler	Mrs. Arsenault & Mrs. Glunk	Officers hold elected positions. Mrs. Arsenault and Mrs. Glunk are the 10th grade class co-advisors: arsenaultt@apcsd.org glunkw@apcsd.org
11th Grade Class	Co-Presidents: Abigail Juneau & Theodore Dangler Co-Vice Presidents: Delaney Swinson Secretary-Nicholas Premo Treasurer-lan Joseph Class Representative-Skylar Quackenbush	Ms. Monroe & Mrs. Oldendorf	Officers hold elected positions. Ms. Monroe and Mrs. Oldendorf are the 11th grade class advisors: monroen@apcsd.org oldendorfe@apcsd.org
12th Grade Class	President: Grace Faragon Vice-President: Ava Ferriero Secretary: Olivia Maddalone Treasurer: John Galvin Class Representatives: Paula DeAndres, Kay Tichy, Gabriela Geise, Simone Schwarz-Eise, Thomas Biette		Officers hold elected positions. Mr. Engel & Mr. Kozlowski are the 12th grade class advisors: engelb@apcsd.org kozlowskik@apcsd.org