

Clubs / Organizations & Sports at MSHS

ART CLUB

Advisor: Jake Fether

Open to all students. The Art Club meets weekly throughout the school year. Students will explore their artistic style in-depth. The Art Club acts as a liaison between school-wide and community art projects including the senior all-night party, decorating for dances and the annual students' art show and sale held at Oasis Gallery.

Meeting Time: Thursday 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.

ASTRONOMY CLUB

Advisor: Chris Standerford

Open to all students. Students involved with the astronomy club have the opportunity to meet and discuss astronomy news and space science updates, receive current sky maps each month, visit the Shiras Planetarium occasionally, and experience nighttime observing sessions with a variety of telescopes.

Meeting Time: Once every other week during lunch

AUTO CLUB

Advisor: John King

Hot rods, imports, low riders, mudders, and customs! Auto Club is a new student organization this year to MSHS. Open to all students, Auto Club is for individuals who are interested in working on, driving, modifying, or just talking about cars and trucks. Club members meet throughout the school year after school in the auto shop with a number of planned excursions and "shop" time on Saturdays. Several fundraising activities will be planned at the beginning of each school year to support funding for shop tools, equipment, and activities.

BUSINESS PROFESSIONALS OF AMERICA (BPA)

Advisor: Kimberlee Carr

Open to all students who are currently enrolled in a business course, have had business courses in the past or have career interests in business. The Business Professionals of America competes in the Regional Competitive Events Conference with chances to compete at the state and national levels. The club also has ongoing fundraising projects. One project is the sale of soda pop, juice and snacks from a few vending machines located in the High School, Turkey Trot T-shirts and the sale of candy/snack boxes.

Meeting Time: Every two-three weeks during lunch

CHAMBER SINGERS

Advisor: Jan Brodersen

The Chamber Singers is an auditioned choral group of 20 singers, of four mixed voice parts, soprano, alto, tenor and bass. The group rehearses on Tuesday and Thursday evenings starting in November, after the fall musical. Chamber Singers performs for various organizations and activities throughout the school year. There is no fee for participation.

Meeting Time: Tuesday and Thursday evenings starting in November

CHRISTIAN SUPPORT GROUP

Advisor: Bill Shaw

Open to all students. The purpose of the Christian support group is to help students pray for school, students, staff, etc. The support group also helps with community activities.

Meeting Time: Lunch on Wednesday

CLASS ADVISORS

Freshmen Advisors:

**Lisa Jahnke, Diana Moyle,
Holly Warchock**

Sophomore Advisor:

Kris O'Connor, Blythe Raikko

Junior Advisor:

Marc Hefke

Senior Advisor:

Cody Moore, Kris O'Connor

Each class participates in Fall Homecoming, where a class float is created, Winter Homecoming and activities week. Each class also hosts one dance per year: Freshmen – Winter Homecoming, Sophomores – a winter dance, Juniors – Prom, and Seniors – Christmas Dance. The success of your class depends on the support each of you provide. Going to class activities will give you experiences that will be fun and memories that will last a lifetime.

Meeting Time: As needed

DRAMA CLUB

Advisor: Marty Martello

Open to all students. Drama Club raises one hundred percent of the funds for the support of MSHS drama productions. Only club members may act/participate in productions. The dues are \$5.00 per year.

Meeting Time: One time per month and as needed

ENVIRONMENTAL CLUB

Advisor: Karen Bacula

The Environmental Club works on projects and sharing information in the school and community. Outdoor exploration is also a part of the club's activities.

Meeting Time: One day per week at lunch

FIDDLE CLUB

Advisor: Janis Peterson

The Fiddle Club is an after school program for those students who are interested in folk music and want to learn and explore more! With a wide variety of instruments and musical talents, the Fiddle Club has performed at many community events such as Rotary luncheons, Hiawatha Music Festival, The Boathouse, and numerous concerts at MSHS and Kaufman Auditorium.

Meeting Time: Varies

FIRST ROBOTICS

Advisor: John King

The FIRST Robotics team is an after school program for students interested in the challenge of real-world applications of science, technology, engineering, and manufacturing practices. Working through the F.I.R.S.T. parent organization, students have six weeks to build, test, and compete with a working robot. Each year's robotics challenge is different, with regional competitions being held in March and April. Team members typically begin meeting in early January and work through each competition. Scholarships are available for student members to pursue. For more information, visit the F.I.R.S.T. website at www.usfirst.org.

FORENSICS

Advisors: Jonathan Becker & Mary Burtch

Open to all MSHS students. Forensics is an organization that provides experience and skill development in public speaking. The students have opportunities to compete against other high school students across the Upper and Lower Peninsula.

Meeting Time: After school

FRENCH CLUB

Advisor: TBD

The purpose of the MSHS French Club is to promote awareness and enjoyment of French customs, culture and traditions in an entertaining social atmosphere. For instance, members of the MSHS French Club prepare authentic French cuisine together, watch French films together, sing French Christmas carols to veterans at the Jacobetti Center, have traveled to The Art Institute of Chicago to view French art, have traveled to Quebec and to France, etc.

Meeting Time: Varies

GAY STRAIGHT ALLIANCE

Advisor: Becky Simmons

The Gay Straight Alliance is a group open to students who are gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, students questioning their sexual identity, and to straight students who support them. Meeting days and times vary. In order to protect the privacy of students, our membership is private, as are the meeting locations. If you have any questions, please call, email, or see Becky Simmons, rsimmons@mapsnet.org.

GERMAN CLUB

Advisor: TBD

The German Club promotes German culture and tradition with a strong emphasis on travel and exchange, as well as scholarship opportunities with the German-speaking countries.

Meeting Time: Not set

HEALTH OCCUPATIONS STUDENTS OF AMERICA (HOSA) Advisor: Ronda Manninen

Open to students who are currently enrolled in the Health Occupations course, or any student planning on taking Health Occupations as a senior. By joining HOSA, students have the opportunity for scholarships, leadership development, career exploration, travel, networking with other students interested in health careers, and increased academic performance through curriculum integration. HOSA students compete at the Regional Leadership Conference with the chance to compete at State and National levels. The club also has fundraising projects.

Meeting Time: Usually Friday at lunch

HIGH SCHOOL BOWL

Advisor: Jesse Kainulainen

Open to all 9-12 graders. Single elimination competition beginning in early September could run through to the end of April. All games are televised at TV 13 Studios, NMU. A six-person team will be determined with tryouts.

Meeting Time: 1-2 hours per week

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL

Advisor: Ben Smith

Open to all MSHS students who are not rostered on one of the Girls or Boys HS basketball teams. Schedules generally will begin in March. Students form teams that compete for a final championship sometime in May. Information is announced and forms are made available after semester exams.

JAZZ BAND

Advisor: Matt Ludwig

The MSHS Jazz Band is an extracurricular club that meets throughout the year after school. All Jazz music, from the blues to bebop is studied and performed. This is an auditioned group open to all students that play the following instruments: saxophone, trumpet, trombone, piano, guitar and percussion. The Jazz club plays for various events and functions throughout the year. There is a fee for participation.

Meeting Time: Varies

KEY CLUB

Advisor: Karen Bacula

Key Club is the high school version of Kiwanis – a service organization. Key Club takes place all year long and participates in several community-based service projects. The dues are \$13.00 annually.

Meeting Time: Tuesdays at lunch in Room 110

MARCHING BAND

Advisor: Matt Ludwig

Marching Band provides a great outlet for MSHS Band Members. We support the team, and we are a great representative for MSHS. The dues are \$7.00 for uniform cleaning fees.

Meeting Time: After school and at night

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Advisors: Colleen Gaffney & Carole Puskala

National Honor Society is an organization that recognizes scholarship, leadership, character and service. A student is eligible to be a candidate for NHS after their first semester sophomore year. To be eligible as a candidate a student must have an overall cumulative GPA > 3.499. They are then evaluated according to other criteria. NHS members participate in service projects for the community and school.

Meeting Time: Varies

NATIVE AMERICAN EDUCATION PROGRAM

Advisor: Tanya Sprowl

Open to all Native American students, this program provides academic and cultural support through tutoring, activities, discussions, and presentations. We have native cultural reference materials – books, videos, cd's. Office is located in room #214.

Meeting Time: Varies

NEWSPAPER

Advisor: Jennifer Klipp

Open to all students interested in the publication of the school newspaper

Meeting Time: Not Set

RENAISSANCE

Advisor: Sarah Kemppainen

Open to all students interested. The MSHS Renaissance Committee is a year-long committee that runs September through May. We contact local businesses seeking contributions to our Renaissance program. Assemblies are held two times per year.

Meeting Time: One day per week (announced at the start of each semester) 2:30 – 3:30

SCIENCE OLYMPIAD

Advisor: Elsa Clement: eclement@mapsnet.org

The Science Olympiad is an international nonprofit organization devoted to improving the quality of science education. This fun competition involves a variety of competitive events. Division C (high school) events have included building projects (robots, musical instruments, wheeled vehicles and crane-like supports) and solving a “who done it” crime scene.

Meeting Time: Check with Elsa Clement in room 113 or with your science teacher for details. You can also check on-line for information.

<http://teacherweb.com/MI/MarquetteSeniorHighSchool/ElsaClement/>

SPANISH CLUB

Advisor: Patrick Reilly

The MSHS Spanish Club sponsors outside-the-classroom opportunities to learn about Spanish and Latin American culture. Membership is open to students enrolled in any Spanish class. Activities include events such as salsa lessons and dancing, attending local cultural events together, hosting teenage students from the Central American Youth Ambassadors program for a week in January and/or July, and a spring break educational tour and host family experience in Costa Rica every other year.

Meeting Time: Varies

STUDENT COUNCIL

Advisor: Debra Abraham

Student Council is made up of 25 MSHS students that have chosen to give of their time and talent to benefit their peers. This group of students is responsible for organizing many school events and activities.

Homecoming, Winter Spirit Week and TWIRP are a few of the activities they sponsor. Representatives are elected by their class each year with five additional representatives elected by the entire school to comprise the executive board. The goal of student council is to help make MSHS a great place to be.

Meeting Time: Every Tuesday during lunch; occasional added meetings

UPWARD BOUND

Advisor: Jeff Gagnon

Upward Bound is a program funded by the U.S. Department of Education. The main goal is to increase the rates at which participants complete secondary education, enroll in, and graduate from institutions of postsecondary education. Upward Bound provides intensive academic instruction and support to participants in their preparation for college entrance. Project services include tutoring, counseling, cultural enrichment activities and instruction in composition, literature, foreign language, math, and laboratory science on NMU’s campus during the summer program and after school and weekends during the academic year.

Meeting Time: Not set

YEARBOOK

Advisor: Carole Hare

Open to all 11th and 12th graders, an all-year long activity. We take photos, write stories and try to cover all aspects of life here at MSHS for publication in the High School yearbook – The Tatler.

Meeting Time: Class time and many days after school

Z-CLUB

Advisor: Holly Warchock

Z-Club is ideal for any girl who is self-motivated and college bound. Z-Club is a branch of the Zonta organization. We are an all-girls service organization and, like Zonta, our goal is to further advance women in the community. We participate in numerous projects in the school, city, and also on an international level. The dues are \$5.00.

Meeting Time: Various Thursdays after school

ATHLETICS AT MSHS

Athletes provide their own shoes, skates, swim suits, skis, rackets, sticks, practice shorts, t-shirts, sweatshirts/sweatpants and socks.

* Bowling, Competitive Cheer, Soccer, Softball, Nordic Ski, Figure Skating and Baseball are self-funded.

MAPS follows the Federal Guidelines for Free & Reduced Lunch in determining financial assistance for pay-to-participate. Complete the Free & Reduced Lunch paperwork for participation fee consideration.

For information or questions, please contact the head coach (contact information provided).

YEAR-LONG ACTIVITIES

(Tryouts take place in May, times/dates announced after spring break)

TENTATIVE

DANCE TEAM

Coach: Janna Benedict
newattitudesdance@hotmail.com

Cost: \$125

The Dance Team has performances August through March. The Dance Team performs routines during half-time at football and basketball games. The season begins in June. The team travels to camp in August. Dance lessons are not a prerequisite. There is a \$125.00 participation fee (subject to change). There is required purchase of dance attire.

Mandatory Practice Time: After school 3:00– 5:00 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays at Graveraet

FALL SPORTS

(In 2011, Football will begin on August 8 and all other fall sports will begin on August 10)

TENTATIVE

FALL CHEERLEADING

Coach: Cari Detmers
cdetmers@live.com

Fall Cheerleading begins August 1st and ends at the end of football season. The preseason is in the month of August, Monday through Friday. The purpose is to cheer at games, homecoming, promote school spirit and compete in cheer competitions. We also do community service projects. We cheer, dance, do stunts, jumps, splits, gymnastics, posture attitude, team-work mentality, practice, selflessness, and work hard.

VARSIITY

Coach: Cari Detmers

Cost: \$70

J.V. CHEERLEADING	Coach: Cari Detmers	Cost: \$70
FRESHMAN CHEERLEADING	Coach: Cari Detmers	Cost: \$70
VARSITY FOOTBALL	Coach: David L'Huillier dlhuillier@mapsnet.org	Cost: \$180
J.V. FOOTBALL	Coach: Tim Bullock tbull33@chartermi.net	Cost: \$180
FRESHMAN FOOTBALL	Coach: Eric Mason masonej@michigan.gov	Cost: \$125
VARSITY GIRLS TENNIS	Coach: Derek Sandstrom dsandstrom@mapsnet.org	Cost: \$145
J.V. GIRLS TENNIS	Coach: Derek Sandstrom	Cost: \$125
BOYS CROSS COUNTRY	Coach: Mike Leanes leanesm@yahoo.com	Cost: \$140
GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY	Coach: Dale Phillips	Cost: \$140
VARSITY BOYS SOCCER	Coach: Matt Tebo matttebo@hotmail.com	Cost: \$200
J.V. BOYS SOCCER (1 & 2)	Coaches: Brandon Wittman Dan Menze wswentik@nmu.edu bwittman@nmu.edu	Cost: \$200
VARSITY VOLLEYBALL	Coach: TBD	Cost: \$170
J.V. VOLLEYBALL	Coach: Sarah Peura speura@hotmail.com	Cost: \$140
FRESHMAN VOLLEYBALL	Coach: Rachel Green ramartin@nmu.edu	Cost: \$140

WINTER SPORTS

(In 2011, the seasons will begin between October 31 and November 21)

TENTATIVE

WINTER CHEERLEADING Winter Sideline Cheerleading begins with tryouts in Nov. and ends at the end of boys and girls basketball season. Competitive Cheer begins with tryouts in Nov. and competes through the post season state tournaments in March.

VARSIITY	Coach: Cari Detmers	Cost: \$100
J.V. CHEERLEADING	Coach: Cari Detmers	Cost: \$100
FRESHMAN CHEERLEADING	Coach: Cari Detmers	Cost: \$100
COMPETITIVE CHEER	Coach: Cari Detmers	Cost:TBD
VARSIITY BOYS BASKETBALL	Coach: Brad Nelson bjnelson@mapsnet.org	Cost: \$170* *plus overnight lodging
J.V. BOYS BASKETBALL	Coach: Joe Havican havgo@charter.net	Cost: \$170* *plus overnight lodging
FRESHMAN BOYS BASKETBALL	Coach: Brian Brazeau eschmold@nmu.edu	Cost: \$150
VARSIITY GIRLS BASKETBALL	Coach: Ben Smith besmith@mapsnet.org	Cost: \$170* *plus overnight lodging
J.V. GIRLS BASKETBALL	Coach: Rich Ledy richledy@nmbank.com	Cost: \$170* *plus overnight lodging
FRESHMAN GIRLS BASKETBALL	Coach: Paul Seibert pseibert@hotmail.com	Cost: \$150
BOWLING	Coach: Hope Virch wvirch@nmu.edu	Cost: \$60
FIGURE SKATING	Coach: Amy Wiseley chrisa@chartermi.net	Cost: \$TBD

HOCKEY	Coach: Joe Papin jpin@hotmail.com	Cost: \$415* *Plus ice user fee
SWIMMING & DIVING	Coach: Eric Eppensteiner eppensteiner@gmail.com	Cost: \$125
ALPINE SKIING	Coach: Christy Provost cprovost@mapsnet.org	Cost: \$125* *Plus lift ticket user fee & overnight lodging
NORDIC SKIING	Coaches: Joe Graci joe@gracidesign.com	Cost: \$TBD
VARSITY WRESTLING	Coach: Charlie Gentz catrangentz@chartermi.net	Cost: \$200
J.V. WRESTLING	Coach: Charlie Gentz	Cost: \$155
GYMNASTICS	Coach: Dawn Johnston dawjohns@nmu.edu	Cost: \$125

SPRING SPORTS
(In 2012, season for all will begin on March12)

VARSITY GIRLS SOCCER	Coach: Dan LeBert lebert@chartermi.net	Approx Cost: \$200
J.V. GIRLS SOCCER	Coach: Joe Gillespie	Approx Cost: \$200
GIRLS SOFTBALL	Coach: TBD	TBD by committee
BOYS BASEBALL	Coach: Scott Jensen chagerl@gmail.com	TBD by committee

***** Athletes must provide their own transportation for soccer, softball and baseball *****

		<u>TENTATIVE</u>
BOYS TRACK	Coach: Mike Leanes leanesm@yahoo.com	Cost: \$125
GIRLS TRACK	Coach: John Peterson mrjwpete@hotmail.com	Cost: \$125
GOLF	Coach: Ben Smith besmith@mapsnet.org	Cost: \$125
VARSITY BOYS TENNIS	Coach: Derek Sandstrom dsandstrom@mapsnet.org	Cost: \$145
J.V. BOYS TENNIS	Coaches: Derek Sandstrom	Cost: \$125

All students who plan to try out or practice for any team must have a physical on file with the FERPA/HIPAA consent statement signed, Pay to Participate fee, and Athletic Code Agreement signed by the athlete and parent **BEFORE THE FIRST DAY OF TRYOUTS OR PRACTICE**. A current physical must be dated on or after April 15, 2011 for participation in the 2011-2012 school year, and on or after April 15, 2012 for participation in the 2012-2013 school year.

For additional information and schedules, visit the athletics website at www.mapsnet.org.