

Clubs / Organizations & Sports at MSHS

AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE CLUB

Adviser: Colleen Gaffney

Open to all students and skill levels; come and learn American Sign Language. The club will learn and practice ASL, no skills required.

Meeting Time: First Tuesday of the month at lunch in the library

ART CLUB

Adviser: Jake Fether

Open to all students. The Art Club meets informally each day throughout the school year. Students can work on personal or community art projects, get tips and feedback, and discuss art-related issues.

Meeting Time: Daily during lunch (informal)

ASTRONOMY CLUB

Adviser: Becky Simmons

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

Adviser: John King

Hot rods, imports, low riders, mudders, and customs! 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.

AVIATION CLUB

Adviser: Steve Solinski

The Aviation Club hopes to encourage peers to pursue an interest in aviation. There will be Young Eagle Flights, working on ground courses, operating flight simulators and even constructing remote control models. There is a high demand for commercial pilots and this field of interest opens many doors of possibility.

Meeting Time: Every other Thursday from 2:30-4:00

CARD GAME CLUB

Adviser: Jake Fether

Interested in playing Magic: The Gathering, Yu-Gi-Oh!, Pokemon, or other card games? Bring your cards and friends to room 122 for some casual gaming fun!

Meeting Time: Fridays 2:30 – 3:30 pm

CHAMBER SINGERS

Adviser: 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

CHESS CLUB

Adviser: TBD

The Chess Club is open for all students to come together one day a week at lunch to learn and enjoy the wonders of chess. Students will have the opportunity to realize the fun of chess and how great it can be when students come together, cooperate, and be themselves. Maybe even make a new friend!

CONSERVATIVE REPUBLICANS CLUB

Adviser: Jacob Ogea

The Conservative Republicans Club promotes political diversity at the school and is dedicated to serving the school and community. New members are also welcome.

Meeting Time: Varies

DIGITAL MAKERS CLUB

Adviser: Becky Simmons

Open to all students. This club is for students interested in making things using technology. Activities include 3D printing, small electronics, software, hardware, and video game design.

DRAMA CLUB

Adviser: Amber Baker

Open to all students. This club is for students interested in acting and technical theatre. Activities include work days (assembling props, costumes, and publicity materials) and rehearsals for fall and spring productions.

Meeting Time: After school

Email: amberonstage22@gmail.com

ENVIRONMENTAL CLUB

Adviser: Kim Parlato

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

E-SPORTS CLUB

Adviser: Aaron Lancour

eSports Club is for high school students who are interested in forming a team to play online video games together and compete against other teams.

Meeting Time: TBD

FIDDLE CLUB

Adviser: Eric Marta

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

FINE TUNERS

Adviser: Eric Marta

"Fine Tuners" is a group of students interested in teaching a stringed instrument to younger or less experienced students. It is a registered student chapter of the American String Teachers Assn. They meet during lunch regularly and help with after school strings in the elementary schools. They also do other projects to further the cause.

FIRST ROBOTICS TEAM COLD LOGIC

Advisors: Jessica Donnell and Elijah Donnell

FIRST Robotics is the ultimate "Sport for the Mind." High-school student participants call it "the hardest fun you'll ever have." Under strict rules, limited resources, and an intense six-week time limit (starts in January), teams of students from around the world are challenged to raise funds, design a team "Brand", hone teamwork skills, and build and program an industrial-sized robot to play a difficult field game against like-minded competitors. It's as close to real-world engineering as a student can get. Cold Logic meets year round and is about more than just a robot. Students have the opportunity to participate in web design, marketing, event planning, jewelry design from computer parts, teaching, scouting, and of course science, technology, engineering, art and mathematics (STEAM). In our off-season, Cold Logic looks for ways to enhance our community by offering free courses in coding, manufacturing, web design and many others topics taught by students, volunteering for community-run events and many other community enrichment activities. All are welcome and there is no fee to join.

FIRST offers 200 different types of scholarships with more than \$50 million given out each year.

For more information, visit the FIRST website at www.usfirst.org or contact us at coldlogic3617@gmail.com.

FORENSICS

Advisors: TBD

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: Kelly Simon

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

FRENCH HONOR SOCIETY

Advisor: Kelly Simon

French Honor Society includes students who have excelled in their French courses and are formally inducted into the Society each Spring. Students must maintain an A- average in French and a B- average in all other coursework. There is a small community service component. Eligible students may wear the tri-cord cords at graduation. French Honor Society is sponsored by the American Association of Teachers of French. Anyone is welcome at our monthly meetings; however it is mainly for official members and officers.

Meeting Time: Varies

Happy PAWS CLUB

Advisor: Kim Parlato

Volunteering and fundraising for UPAWS

HEALTH OCCUPATIONS STUDENTS OF AMERICA (HOSA)

Advisor: Ronda Manninen

Open to any student interested in a career in health care. 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 and community service projects.

Meeting Time: Usually Friday at lunch

HIGH SCHOOL BOWL

Advisor: Jesse Kainulainen

Open to all 9-12 grade students. High School Bowl is a single elimination trivia competition beginning in early September. All academic subjects are quizzed on. Teams consist of four players on stage and two alternates in the audience. Spots are earned through answering trivia questions correctly during practices. All games are played at TV 13 studios and are then aired at later dates on Public TV channel 13.

Meeting Time: 1-2 hours per week

INTERACT CLUB

Advisors: Amanda Erspamer, Cara Lee Patmore & Katy Vessels

Interact Club is the high school version of Rotary Club and is committed to service activities at the school, local community and international levels. The club provides an opportunity for students to make a difference in a meaningful way while having fun. We meet twice a month right after school at the high school and provide opportunities to participate in community service projects, build your resume with volunteer experiences, develop leadership skills, and connect with community leaders. New members are always welcome! The Facebook page is Interact Club of Marquette (<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1230475440305812/>).

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. The entry fee is \$25.00.

JAZZ BAND

Advisor: Dr. Matthew 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.

Meeting Time: Varies

KEY CLUB

Advisor: Steve Solinski

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 \$15.00 annually.

MARCHING BAND & PEP BAND

Advisor: Dr. Matthew Ludwig

Marching Band provides a great outlet for MSHS Band Members. We support the team, and we are a great representative for MSHS. There is a \$35.00 fee for participation.

Meeting Time: After school and at night

MSHS FINE ARTS MUSICAL

See Your Fine Arts Teachers for More Information

High School students in all grades are eligible to participate in the production of a Broadway musical. Auditions for the actor/singer parts take place the first Sunday after school starts. Students are also needed for pit orchestra, crew, make-up, costumes and set creation. The performances take place in November.

MSHS MOUNTAIN BIKE CLUB

Advisor: Eric Hammerstrom

The MSHS Mountain Bike Club meets in the spring. Any student interested in mountain biking or wanting to learn should join. The club meets once a week to ride the trails in Marquette.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Advisor: Sandra Davis

National Honor Society is an organization that recognizes and honors 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 and have high character. NHS members participate in service projects for the community and school. To maintain membership the students must have a minimum of 10 service hours per year, maintain character, pay annual dues of \$10, and join our private Facebook chat group.

Meeting Time: Every other month

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: Eric Hammerstrom

The *MSHS Pasty* is the school newspaper of Marquette Senior High School. Students of all grade levels are welcome to write for *The Pasty*, which publishes articles on news, sports, fine arts, entertainment, science, and opinions/editorials.

Meeting Time: The club meets once a week after school and publishes online at

<http://mshsredgazette.wordpress.com>

PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

Adviser: Steven Atwood

The Photography Club will encourage students to take pictures without using Photoshop. Students will dedicate time to learning how to take good pictures, work together and be encouraged to make mistakes to learn from.

Meeting Time: Thursdays from 2:30-3:30 in Rm 110

PING PONG CLUB

Adviser: Karl Thomsen

The ping pong club is open to all students who would like to get together after school to play ping pong with the possibility of competing in the future.

Meeting Time: TBD

RENAISSANCE

Adviser: Emily Gregorich

The Renaissance program is all about promoting a positive school climate and culture while also honoring students for their academic achievements. The MSHS Renaissance Committee is a year-long committee with one to two meetings per month. Our members collaborate together on ideas for positive changes within our school, participate in fundraising activities, and work closely with local businesses to collect donations. Our group is open to all students and we are always looking for new students to join our group.

Meeting Time: During RIT

SPANISH CLUB

Adviser: Patrick Reilly

The MSHS Spanish Club sponsors outside-the-classroom opportunities to learn about Spanish and Latin American culture. Activities include attending local cultural events together; hosting teenage students from the Central American Youth Ambassadors program for a week in the winter and/or the spring, and traveling to a Spanish-speaking country for an educational tour and host family experience every other spring break.

Meeting Time: Varies

S.A.F.E. (STUDENT ALLIANCE FOR EQUALITY)

Advisors: Melissa Teasley

S.A.F.E.: Student Alliance for Equality (formerly GSA) 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.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Adviser: Holly Warchock

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 six 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 Advisory and occasional added meetings. Meetings are mandatory.

VEGYOUTH

Adviser: Katelyn Jensen & Patrick Reilly

VegYouth is a club for vegetarians, vegans or anyone interested in learning about how a more plant-based diet has a positive impact on one's health, the environment and animal welfare. We eat lunch together once a week, and get together occasionally for fun activities such as potlucks, movie nights and fundraisers for UPAWS.

Meeting Time: Tuesdays during second lunch in room 206

WRITERS CLUB

Adviser: Kim Parlato

The Writer's Club is a place for writers of all abilities and writing interests to practice and share writing with each other. Each meeting consists of time to write, share writing, and workshop pieces people are working on. Publishing MSHS's first literary magazine is our goal this year!

Meeting Time: Thursdays after school in Rm 227

ATHLETICS AT MSHS

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

* Bowling, Competitive Cheer, Soccer, Softball, Nordic Ski, Figure Skating, JV Dance, JV Hockey, and Baseball are self-funded. Self-funded sports require parent transport to most events.

MAPS follows the Federal Guidelines for Free & Reduced Lunch in determining financial assistance for pay-to-participate. Reduced Lunch status: MAPS waives one half of participation fee for **school-funded** sports. Free Lunch status: MAPS waives entire participation fee for **school-funded** sports.

YEAR-LONG ACTIVITIES

(Tryouts take place in spring. Times/dates announced and posted beforehand)

DANCE TEAM

Varsity Coach: Jessica Aho
jaho@fathermarquette.org

Cost: \$125

The Dance Team has performances August through March, performing routines during half-time at football and basketball games. The teams also host a fall and a spring performance for the community with area dance studios invited to perform. Tryouts for the next season take place in the spring. The team travels to mandatory camp for one week in the summer. Dance lessons are not a prerequisite.

Mandatory Practice Time: After school 3:30– 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays

FALL SPORTS

(In 2018, Football will begin on August 6 and all other fall sports will begin on August 8)

VARSIY SIDELINE CHEER

Coach: Kristin Cannoot
coachcannoot@yahoo.com

Cost: \$85

VARSIY FOOTBALL

Coach: TBD

Cost: \$190

FRESHMAN FOOTBALL

Coach: Eric Mason
masonel@michigan.gov

Cost: \$135

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| VARSITY GIRLS TENNIS | Coach: Derek Sandstrom dsandstrom@mapsnet.org | Cost: \$155 |
| J.V. GIRLS TENNIS | Coach: Derek Sandstrom | Cost: \$135 |
| BOYS CROSS COUNTRY | Coach: Kyle Detmers detmersk@yahoo.com | Cost: \$150 |
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| VARSITY BOYS SOCCER (Self-funded) | Coach: Dan Menze coachmenzedan@gmail.com | Cost: \$225 |
| J.V. 1 BOYS SOCCER (Self-funded) | Coach: Jeff Collins collinsjd87@gmail.com | Cost: \$225 |
| J.V.2 BOYS SOCCER (Self-funded) | Coaches: Luke VanOsdol lvanosdo@nmu.edu | Cost: \$225 |
| VARSITY VOLLEYBALL | Coach: Mike Morgan mmorgan@fnbimk.com | Cost: \$180 |
| J.V. VOLLEYBALL | Coach: Katt Beerling KattBeerling@gmail.com | Cost: \$150 |
| FRESHMAN VOLLEYBALL | Coach: Emily Morgan emmorgan@nmu.edu | Cost: \$150 |

WINTER SPORTS

(In 2018, the seasons will begin between October 29 and November 12)

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| VARSITY SIDELINE CHEER | Coach: Kristin Cannoot coachcannoot@yahoo.com | Cost \$85 |
| COMPETITIVE CHEER (Self-funded) | Coach: Jessica Hemstock | Cost:TBD |
| VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL | Coach: Brad Nelson bjnelson@mapsnet.org | Cost: \$180 |

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| J.V. BOYS BASKETBALL | Coach: Joe Havican havgo@charter.net | Cost: \$180 |
| FRESHMAN BOYS BASKETBALL | Coach: Brian Brazeau bbraze@charter.net | Cost: \$160 |
| VARSITY GIRLS BASKETBALL | Coach: Ben Smith besmith@mapsnet.org | Cost: \$180 |
| J.V. GIRLS BASKETBALL | Coach: Rich Ledy richledy@nmbank.com | Cost: \$180 |
| FRESHMAN GIRLS BASKETBALL | Coach: Paul Seibert pseibert@hotmail.com | Cost: \$160 |
| BOWLING (Self-funded) | Coach: TBD | Cost: \$75.00 |
| FIGURE SKATING (Self-funded) | Coaches: Jamie Weigold isk&rjw@charter.net | Cost: \$TBD |
| HOCKEY | Coach: Doug Garrow douggarrow@yahoo.com | Cost: \$425* *Plus approx. \$450 ice user fee |
| JV HOCKEY (Self-funded) | Brian Nebel brneeb19@aol.com | Cost: approx. \$1200.00 |
| SWIMMING & DIVING | Coach: Nate McFarren nmcfarren@ishpemingschools.com | Cost: \$135 |
| ALPINE SKIING | Coach: Dan Menze coachmenzedan@gmail.com | Cost: \$135* *Plus lift ticket user fee & overnight lodging |
| NORDIC SKIING (Self-funded) | Coach: Steve Carr spcarr@charter.net | TBD |
| VARSITY WRESTLING | Coach: Tony Gentz tgentz@hotmail.com | Cost: \$210 |
| J.V. WRESTLING | Coach: Tony Gentz | Cost: \$165 |
| GYMNASTICS | Coach: Kris Lakenen klakenen@mapsnet.org | Cost: \$135 |

SPRING SPORTS

(In 2019, season for all sports will begin on March 11)

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| VARSITY GIRLS SOCCER (Self-funded) | Coach: Jeff Collins collinsjd87@gmail.com | Cost: \$225 |
| J.V. GIRLS SOCCER (Self-funded) | Coach: Dan Menze dmenze@nmu.edu | Cost: \$225 |
| GIRLS SOFTBALL (Self-funded) | Coach: Paul Seibert pseibert@hotmail.com | TBD |
| J.V. GIRLS SOFTBALL (Self-funded) | Coach: Kyle Johnson KJHomeboy99@aol.com | TBD |
| BOYS BASEBALL (Self-funded) | Coach: TBD | TBD |
| BOYS JV BASEBALL | Coach: TBD | TBD |
| BOYS TRACK | Coach: Kyle Detmers detmersk@yahoo.com | Cost: \$135 |
| GIRLS TRACK | Coach: Natalie Messano nmessano@mapsnet.org | Cost: \$135 |
| GOLF | Coach: Ben Smith besmith@mapsnet.org | Cost: \$135 |
| VARSITY BOYS TENNIS | Coach: Charlie Drury bigbaylands@live.com | Cost: \$155 |
| J.V. BOYS TENNIS | Coaches: Charlie Drury | Cost: \$135 |

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
- Athletic Code Agreement signed by the athlete and parent which includes:
 1. Concussion Awareness Educational Material Acknowledgement Form
 2. Student and Parent Acknowledgement of Risk and Release
 3. MSHS Athletic Training Rules/Eligibility Agreement

BEFORE THE FIRST DAY OF TRYOUTS OR PRACTICE: A current physical must be on file in the Athletic Office dated on or after April 15, 2018 for participation in the 2018-2019 school year, and on or after April 15, 2019 for participation in the 2019-2020 school year.

For additional information and schedules, visit the athletics website at www.mqtathletics.com