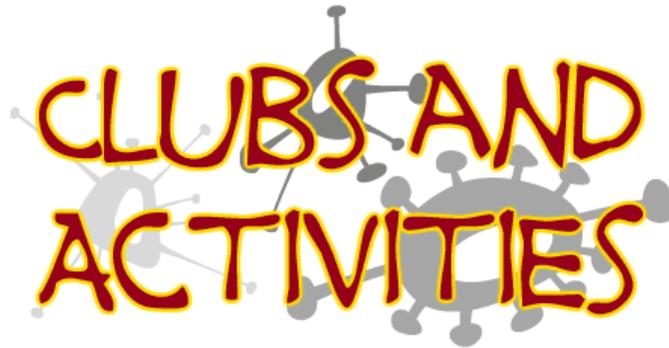


FATHER JUDGE HIGH SCHOOL



Below is a list of the clubs and activities offered by Father Judge High School for the 2019-2020 school year. There is a short description of each group along with the name and email address of the teacher/moderator. All are welcome to join any club and if interested please contact the moderator.

ART CLUB: Provides art experiences for students not enrolled in the art class. The club provides hands on experience with a variety of art mediums and techniques: clay, paper making, print making, drawing, animation, etc. The group meets every Monday to work on arts, crafts and other projects to improve their talent and help the school. Stop by her classroom (room 200) for more information. Students must be motivated and willing to learn. All students are eligible to participate.

Moderator: Mr. Christian Atkinson (catkinson@fatherjudge.com)

CAMPUS MINISTRY TEAM: The Ministry Team at Judge is a group of students who serve the FJ community through various ministry programs: assisting at Masses & Prayer Services, teaming Retreats, sponsoring community service projects, planning pro-life events, promoting Salesian spirituality and providing other unique opportunities for prayer, sacraments and the spiritual life of the school. The Campus Ministry Office is located on the first floor next to room 107. This is open to all students.

Moderator: Mr. Kevin Williams (kwilliams@fatherjudge.com)

CHESS TEAM: Students learn, practice and compete in the game of chess. A knowledge of the game is not required, but students must be open to learning. The club usually meets on Thursdays after school. All students are eligible.

Moderator: Mr. William Loughlin (wloughlin@fatherjudge.com)

THE CRUSADER (School Newspaper): Students work to put out a quarterly newspaper that covers school news and other local stories. Working with the paper includes lessons in journalism, reporting and editing. The staff is open to all students who are willing to work hard and put in the many hours needed to produce the final product. They are always looking for help.

Moderator: TBA

CRUSADER NEWS NETWORK (CNN): Students work to produce a daily TV broadcast of the school's announcements and information. The staff develops leadership and organizational skills, learning to see video software and state of the art television technology. Students develop effective communication skills, writing and on-camera experience. They are assisted by the moderator/director. Any student interested in radio or television (both in front of the camera and behind-the-scenes) is welcome to join the staff. Stop by the CNN "studio" on the third floor any day during homeroom to find out more about this group.

Moderator: Deacon Bill Moser (bmoser@fatherjudge.com)

DIVERSITY CLUB: The Diversity Club is a culturally mixed group of students who come together to learn more about themselves and other ethnic groups. Our Mission is to establish lifelong leadership skills for understanding and welcoming diversity by promoting unity, acceptance, and love. We plan to participate in and sponsor activities and programs that promote cultural awareness. Some of our activities include: Learning about/making Cultural Foods, Discovering Cultural Traditions, Making Crafts, Exploring Dance and Music, Studying Foreign Languages and Viewing Foreign Films. **Moderator: Mrs Tanisha Scott (tscott@fatherjudge.com)**

ENVIRONMENTAL CLUB - (FJ GREEN TEAM): This is an environmental service club that will assist at the Philadelphia Flower Show, Pennypack Park cleanups and e Green team games. **Moderator: Mrs. Maureen Dwyer (mdwyer@fatherjudge.com)**

ENGINEERING CLUB: This group participates in an organization called FIRST (For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology) sponsored by several corporations. Each year FIRST announces the rules for a new game. Teams have 6 weeks to design and build a robot that will participate in the competition. Students have the opportunity to work side by side with actual engineers, to learn how a robot works. During season the club meets a few times a week, especially after school and at night. They are coached by Mr. Fiocco. They are in need of mechanical engineers, electrical engineers and computer experts who would be willing to join the team.

Moderator: Mr. Mike Fiocco (mfiocco@fatherjudge.com)

INTRAMURAL SPORTS provide physical activity for the entire student body on a non-varsity level. Good sportsmanship, fun games and diverse participation are the primary goals of the Intramural Program. Individual and team competition is offered throughout the year. Intramural programs include basketball, bowling, flag football, ping pong, pickle ball and volleyball. Students are encouraged to propose new intramural offerings. New ideas should be discussed with the Director of Activities, Mr. Dougherty. Any student may participate. Listen to the announcements for sign-up information.

Moderator: Mr. Jake Serfass (jserfass@fatherjudge.com)

THE MARINE BIOLOGY & OCEANOGRAPHY CLUB inspires and educates future marine biologists and scientists. It provides a setting where like-minded students can share their passion for marine biology and oceanography, exploring topics outside the standard curriculum. Students engage in a variety of hands-on activities relating to the oceans and marine wildlife including dissections, ship haul design challenges, shark tracking, bathymetry, and documentaries. Members participate in discussions about major issues related to the ocean and marine life as well as do outreach efforts, letter campaigns and other activities aimed to raise awareness of the ever-growing problems facing the World's oceans.

Moderator: Ms. Joy Kots (jkots@fatherjudge.com)

MATHLETES: An afternoon club that competes in math competitions among themselves and against other schools throughout the archdiocese. The Father Judge team is composed of two divisions. Any student who enjoys math is eligible.

JV Moderator: Mrs. Sylvia Polisi (spolisi@fatherjudge.com)

Varsity Moderator: Mr. Charles Lohse (clohse@fatherjudge.com)

MODEL UNITED NATIONS: This group is an academic simulation of the United Nations that aims to educate participants about current events, topics in international relations, diplomacy and the United Nations agenda. The participants role-play as diplomats representing a nation in a simulated session of the United Nations, such as the Security Council or the General Assembly. Participants research a country, take on roles as diplomats, investigate international issues, debate, deliberate, consult, and then develop solutions to world problems. This club meets every Tuesday in room 107. If you are interested please stop by any Tuesday afternoon. Any student who is willing to learn and debate is welcome to join.

Moderator: Mr. Christopher Pegg (cpegg@fatherjudge.com)

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY: The DeSales Chapter of the National Honor Society is composed of Juniors and Seniors nominated by a faculty committee. The De Sales Chapter of the NHS promotes and encourages academic performance and personal character both in and out of the classroom through the Crusader Scholar Program. NHS members must maintain a general academic average of 90 in each marking period and provide the required number of service and tutoring hours to the school.

Moderator: Mrs. Maureen Dwyer (mdwyer@fatherjudge.com)

SLP (SALESIAN LEADERSHIP PROGRAM) is a collaborative effort between various offices and departments within the Father Judge family that helps students develop leadership, character and a spirit of service within the school community and beyond. **Moderator: Mr. Michael Campellone (mcampellone@fatherjudge.com)**

SCIENCE CLUB: The Science Club is a place where students can get together and learn science by performing experiments that are not usually done in class. The Science Club incorporates experiments and activities for all subjects of science including Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Anatomy, and Forensics. The Science Club will also be setting up activities for the rest of the school including a Health Fair in order to educate the school body about their health. The whole idea of the science club is to learn while having fun. **Moderator: Mrs. Jennifer Bates (jbates@fatherjudge.com)**

STUDENT GOVERNMENT: Student council serves to engage students in learning about elections, service and leadership in a school setting. The council helps share students' ideas, interests, and concerns with teachers and the school administration. They also raise funds for school-wide activities, including social events, community projects and school reform. Students must have at least an 80 average and a good discipline record to run for office. Council members are elected by popular vote. Seniors, Juniors and Sophomores are elected each September. Freshmen can run in December after their first report card. See Mr. Dougherty for more information or how to run for office. **Moderator: Mr. Shane Dougherty (sdougherty@fatherjudge.com)**

THEATER/STAGE CREW: The program works with students from all grades to put together school shows and performances each year. Usually the group puts on a comedy show in the fall and a musical play in the spring. Christmas shows and student-produced shows are also performed during the year. Students perform, help direct and build the stage sets as part of the program.

Moderator: Mr. Tom Dignam (tom.dignam@phila.gov)

YEARBOOK (THE QUEST):The yearbook committee works to put together a quality chronicle of the entire school year. This includes all major events and activities. The staff is composed of students who learn to work in photography, writing, layout, design and editing. Any student who is interested in working long hours and with a team can join the staff. The staff is very excited about the yearbook this year – for the first time it will feature color on every page! Stop by the Yearbook Office on the first floor next to the Tuition Office to learn more or to join the staff.

Moderator: Moderator: Mr. Justin Huckel (jhuckel@fatherjudge.com)