

GET INVOLVED!

Lakeside offers scores of student groups/clubs for you to join. Find your area of interest and speak to the club sponsor. It's a great way to meet people that have similar interests as you do. Also, you'll be glad you joined extracurricular clubs when you fill out your college applications!

***Beta Club**

Sponsor: Karen Field

Meeting Location: Media Center

Dues: \$25.00

Membership Requirements: Students must have a 90 GPA, perform 1 hour service for a teacher, and write an essay on volunteering. ***No freshman may join until second semester of the freshman year.***

Goal/Description: Beta Club promotes the ideals of character, service, and leadership among elementary and secondary school students, to reward meritorious achievement and to encourage and assist students in continuing their education after high school.

Bowling Club

Sponsor: Merritt King

Meeting Location: Administrative and informational meetings take place at school but we bowl at Gordon Lanes. Students must provide their own transportation to and from Gordon Lanes for bowling nights.

Dues: \$20 (includes the cost of T-shirt)

Membership Requirements: Open to new members at the beginning of the year.

Goal/Description: The Bowling Club is a social club to promote fellowship among students and pride in LHS. We hold a couple of informational meetings at school and a membership drive. We go bowling once a term from 7-9 pm at Gordon Lanes and participate in a school based service project.

Buddy Club

Sponsor: Elizabeth Johnston

Meeting Location: 313- during lunch

Membership Requirements: Open to new members at the beginning of the year.

Goal/Description: Buddy Club fosters friendships between regular education and special education students. Members meet once a month for social events. Examples of some activities include sitting together for football games, a Halloween party, the Columbia County fair, and now we are going to meet to watch the Martinez-Evans Christmas parade. A school based service project is required.

Young Libertarians

Sponsor: Alex Bailie

Meeting Location: 312

Dues: none

Membership Requirements: Open to new members at the beginning of the year.

Goal/Description: Young Libertarians meet to discuss current political issues, increase recognition of libertarian ideas. A school based service project is required.

***Tri-M Honor Society**

Sponsor: Stacey Branch

Dues: \$15.00

Meeting Location: 310

Dues: \$10.00

Membership Requirements: Freshman can apply 2nd semester but those interested must be a current member of chorus or band.

Goal/Description: Tri-M is the international honor society recognizing secondary music students for their musical ability, academic excellence, school involvement, and community service.

Young Conservatives/Republicans

Sponsor: John Barney

Meeting Location: 310

Dues: \$10.00

Membership Requirements: Open to new members at the beginning of the year.

Goal/Description: In election years, Young Conservatives/Republicans volunteer during elections and some students attend Columbia County Republican Party meetings. A school based service project is required.

Young Democrats

Sponsor: Rick Raeuber

Meeting Location: 220

Dues: free

Membership Requirements: Open to new members at the beginning of the year.

Goal/Description: Young Democrats meet to discuss and get involved in local politics. A school based service project is required.

Drama Club

Sponsor: Claire Simons

Meeting Location: Auditorium

Dues: \$15.00

Membership Requirements: Open to new members at the beginning of the year.

Goal/Description: Drama Club exists to produce plays or help backstage. The dues are in essence a year's free pass to all drama productions. A school based service project is required.

Family, Career, & Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

Sponsor: Mary Burch

Meeting Location: 124

Dues: \$15.00

Membership Requirements: Open to new members at the beginning of the year.

Goal/Description: FCCLA participates in community service projects and compete locally and nationally. A school based service project is required.

Fishers of Men (FOM) & Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA)

Sponsor: Norm Cox and T.J. Davis

Meeting Location: Auditorium- every Thursday 7:00 a.m.

Dues: free

Membership Requirements: FOM and FCA are open to new members at the beginning of the year.

Goal/Description: FOM and FCA are Christian Bible study groups that include music, devotionals, skits, etc. A school based service project is required.

French Club

Sponsor: Dr. Ann Poole

Meeting Location: 111- after school

Dues: \$15.00

Membership Requirements: Members should love and enjoy learning the French language and want to do more to promote interest in and knowledge of French language and culture.

Goal/Description: French Club seeks to promote awareness of the influence and importance of the French language and culture, especially during the observance of National French Week in November and Mardi Gras in February. A school based service project is required.

***French Honor Society**

Sponsor: Dr. Ann Poole

Meeting Location: 111

Dues: TBD

Membership Requirements: Students must be invited to become members. Prospective members must have maintained an average of at least 90 in their French courses for three consecutive semesters, along with at least an 80 average overall.

Goal/Description: French Honor Society is an organization that provides an opportunity to recognize outstanding scholarship in the study of the French language through selection for membership, the placement of a special seal on the graduate's diploma, and the wearing of a special cord at graduation. The chapter provides a vehicle for focusing activities around French language and literature.

Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

Sponsors: Sheila Hancock

Meeting Location: information is distributed through each business class when activities are scheduled

Dues: \$10.00

Membership Requirements: Those interested should be enrolled in a business class or can be a returning member if student has taken a BIT class

Goal/Description: FBLA is a Co-curricular region, state, and national organization that promotes school spirit and participates in school service activities—Homecoming, Winter Fest, Spirit Days, etc..

Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA)

Sponsor: Pam Gosney

Meeting Location: 160 & 302

Dues: \$20.00

Membership Requirements: Anyone interested in a healthcare career is welcome to join!

Goal/Description: HOSA is a student organization whose mission is to promote career opportunities in health care and to enhance the delivery of quality health care to all people. A school based service project is required.

Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD)

Sponsors: Natalie Kinney

Meeting Location: Auditorium- 3rd Thursday of each month

Dues: \$15.00 + t-shirt

Membership Requirements: Open to new members at the beginning of the year.

Goal/Description: SADD promotes students making healthy and beneficial life choices. Some type of community service or fun activity each month is performed by members. A school-based service project is required.

Student Council

Sponsor: Hannah Funsch & Craig Middleton

Meeting Location: 109 & 214

Dues: \$5.00

Membership Requirements: 4th period representatives and student council officers are considered true members of student council. 4th period classes must elect the student council representative that will be the liaison between school related projects and their 4th period class. The officers are elected and voted on by all students at LHS.

Goal/Description: The purpose of Student Council is to create a network of support among the students that gives them a voice in the way their school is run. It also provides them many chances to diplomatically work out problems or issues they have with the school. A school based service project is required.

Thespian Honor Society

Sponsor: Claire Simons

Meeting Location: Auditorium

Dues: \$20.00 + t-shirt

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Membership Requirements: A student must have 10 points to become a Thespian. Points are determined by how many plays you've been in or helped back stage.

Goal/Description: Thespian members get to attend the Georgia Thespian conference where they can do scholarship auditions and attend workshops.

Science Olympiad Team

Sponsor: Charlotte Smith

Meeting Location: 306

Dues: free

Membership Requirements: Open to new members at the beginning of the year.

Goal/Description: The Science Olympiad Team is a competition team that competes in February and March.

Spanish Club

Sponsor: Angelica Eubanks

Meeting Location: 113

Dues: free

Membership Requirements: Spanish Club is open to everyone but you must have permission from your parents to attend the meetings after school.

Goal/Description: The goal of the LHS Spanish Club is to practice the Spanish language, to learn about Hispanic customs and to develop camaraderie among Spanish speakers. Monthly activities range from Hispanic fall crafts, preparing Hispanic meals, Las Posadas Celebration, movies, and the annual Cinco de Mayo celebration. A school based service project is required.

***Spanish Honor Society**

Sponsor: Melisa Poppell

Meeting Location: 121

Dues: \$15.00

Membership Requirements: Membership is by invitation only. Prospective members must have completed 2 full years (4 semesters) of Spanish classes.

Goal/Description: This organization recognizes students with outstanding ability in Spanish. The honor society sponsors activities to further the students' knowledge of Spanish and cultures of countries where Spanish is a major language.

Interact Club

Sponsor: John Barney

Meeting Location: Media Center

Dues: \$10.00

Membership Requirements: Open to new members at the beginning of the year.

Goal/Description: Interact Club is affiliated with the Martinez-Evans Rotary Club and is a community service oriented club that participates in activities such as school fundraisers, school service projects, food and clothes donations, Support Augusta Urban Ministries and Hope House in Augusta.

***Junior Classical League Honor Society**

Sponsor: Rita Bikus

Meeting Location: 150

Dues: free

Membership Requirements: Students must be an active member of the Latin Club and enrolled in at least one Latin class.

Goal/Description: The Junior Classical League is an organization promoting the study of classical languages and culture.

Lakeside Support Coalition (LSC)

Sponsor: Donnie Burch

Meeting Location: GYM

Dues: \$10.00

Membership Requirements: Open to new members at the beginning of the year.

Goal/Description: LSC members support all Lakeside Athletics through various activities throughout the year. A school based service project is required.

Latin Club

Sponsor: Rita Bikus

Meeting Location: Once a month at a local restaurant

Dues: \$5.00 or \$15.00 with t-shirt

Membership Requirements: Members must be current Latin students or former Latin students.

Goal/Description: Members meet once a month in an effort to see how Latin relates to our lives today. Members get the opportunity to meet Latin students from other classes. Members also help with food and toy drives for community projects. A school based service project is required.

Manga/Japanese Animation Club

Sponsor: Cathy Rausch

Meeting Location: 127

Dues: free

Membership Requirements: Anyone interested in Manga or Japanese animation is welcome to join!

Goal/Description: Manga/Japanese Animation Club provides a meeting place for students who share this interest in drawing, and to produce a book drawn by the members. A school based service project is required.

***Mu Alpha Theta Honor Society**

Sponsor: Jerry Meitin

Meeting Location: 213

Requirements: 9th grade students are not eligible for full membership in Mu Alpha Theta. Freshman can be associate members if they have completed Algebra I and may apply for full membership after completion of Euclidean Geometry.

Goal/Description: Mu Alpha Theta is the National High School Mathematics Honor Society dedicated to inspiring keen interest in mathematics, developing strong scholarship in the subject, and promoting the enjoyment of mathematics in high school.

Membership

***National Art Honor Society**

Sponsor: Emily Shipe

Meeting Location: room 201

Dues: \$20 which includes national, local dues and t-shirt

Membership Requirements: Members must fill out a application but have to have had 1 year of high school art and maintained a B average.

Goal/Description: National Art Honor Society's goal is to support the arts, community service and service to the school!

***National Honor Society**

Sponsor: John Cato

Meeting Location: 204

Dues: If offered an invitation to join, then dues are \$20 per year.

Membership Requirements: : If offered an invitation to join, then dues are \$20 per year. Membership Requirements: Students who have a cumulative grade point average of 90 percent or an equivalent standard are eligible to apply for induction into NHS. These students are then considered for induction on the basis of service, leadership, and character. During the sophomore, junior or senior year students may pick up an application packet. Invitations are offered only to the top applicants.

Goal/Description: The purpose of National Honor Society shall be to create enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote leadership, and to develop character in the students of secondary schools.

Rugged Outdoors Club

Sponsor: Rick Raeuber/Greg Shouse

Meeting Location: 220

Dues: \$15.00

Membership Requirements: Open to new members at the beginning of the year.

Goal/Description: Rugged Outdoors provides outdoor experiences for students both experienced and inexperienced such as biking, hiking, canoeing, rafting, etc. A school based service project is required.

Science Club

Sponsor: Neera Young

Meeting Location: 208

Dues: \$10.00

Membership Requirements: Open to new members at the beginning of the year.

Goal/Description: Science Club engages in recycling activities, enter science competitions like science fair and increase awareness of current scientific developments through discussions and excursions. A school based service project is required.

***National Honors Societies (These Societies participate in community as well as school based service projects throughout the school year).**

