

Grandview Clubs & Activities 2023-2024

Activities and Leadership Opportunities

Grandview High School is committed to providing a varied and engaging student activities program. In addition, students have multiple opportunities to exercise leadership in both formal and informal venues. We have over 40 clubs and many co-curricular activities. Our activities programs are made possible by a group of dedicated faculty and staff who put in long hours and share a fantastic variety of talents with our students.

Starting a Club

New clubs may be started if a group of (at least 10) students have an interest and an adult sponsor is willing to supervise. Individual competitive sports are not considered clubs. The student leader of the organization needs to come to the Activities Office to pick up a [New Club Formation Process Packet](#).

*** SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS MUST BE MET FOR MEMBERSHIP**

Activities Council

The Activities Council is an organization made up of representatives from each of the registered clubs here at Grandview. It is a place for student leaders to meet, work together, and to share knowledge. Its primary mission is to promote student awareness of and participation in Grandview Clubs and Activities.

Meets: By Invitation

Sponsor: Alison Beaird 720-886-6533, Office L400D abeaird@cherrycreekschools.org

Anime Club

Anime club is a gathering of any student who is interested in Japanese animation, with the intent of allowing kids to find others who have similar interests, as well as a place to appreciate the medium. Once a week, students will meet in room U212 where they will either play team-building games to strengthen our anime community as well as watch Japanese animations together as we make new friendships with students who share similar interests. Students can easily get involved by coming to U212 any Thursday after school and spreading the word to other anime lovers. More than anything, the anime club is committed to offering a safe place for those who feel alone both at home and in school under the umbrella of anime

Meets: Every Thursday 3:45-4:45pm Room U401H

Sponsor: Christy Legleiter 720-554-3765 clegleiter@cherrycreekschools.org

Asian Unity

Asian unity creates a safe place for Asians of all cultures to build pride in being Asian and helps create a sense of identity for Asians.

Meets: TBD

Sponsor: Ace Eggleston aeggleston@cherrycreekschools.org

ASL Club

To create a safe space where people can learn about the culture related to sign language, and where people can learn sign. We would like to be learning signs that aren't taught in class, as well as teaching basic signs to people that join who aren't able to come into the ASL classroom. All are welcome!

Meets: Wednesdays in U222

Sponsor: Patrick Southern psouthern@cherrycreekschools.org

Astronomy Club

Astronomy club allows those with similar interests in astronomy to share, collaborate and expand their knowledge in a fun and active environment.

Meets: B-Day Mondays 3:30-4:15pm

Sponsor: Colleen Campos 720-886-6563 acampos10@cherrycreekschools.org

Badminton Club

Badminton Club allows students to get together to play badminton, build new friendships, and create a sense of community at Grandview.

Meets: Every Wednesday afterschool 3:40-4:20 -Patio outside cafeteria weather permitting. Upper hall if inside.

Sponsor: Deseri Glenn 720-886-6501 Dglenn@cherrycreekschools.org

Band Ensembles

Band students have the opportunity to earn a letter, perform in festivals and concerts, and travel.

Concert Band

Open to any student who has previous band experience.

Meets: During 2B, U610

Symphonic Band (by audition only)

This is a select group of band students. They perform a variety of music in major performances at Grandview and additional outside events throughout the year.

Meets: During 1B, U610

Wind Ensemble (by audition only)

Wind Ensemble is a select group of wind and percussion. They perform a variety of music at Grandview and additional outside events throughout the year.

Meets: During 4B, U610

Jazz Ensemble I (by audition only)

This Jazz Band is the most advanced at Grandview, it is comprised of a small group of students who play wind instruments supported by a rhythm section that performs jazz, rock and Latin music from various historical periods.

Meets: During 3A, U610

Jazz Ensemble II (by audition only)

The Jazz Ensemble is a group of students who play wind instruments supported by a rhythm section that performs jazz, rock, and Latin music from various historical periods.

Meets: During 2A, U610

Jazz Combo (by audition only)

This small group of jazz students performs at school and district functions in addition to some jazz concerts and festivals. The focus of this group is improvisation.

Meets: After school once/week second semester on a day TBD.

Wolf Pride Band

The band is open to any student with previous band experience, this also includes color guard. Rehearsals are after school on a weekly basis during fall and winter sports. The Wolf Pride Band will play for three local parades, many home football, volleyball, basketball games, and school pep assemblies. Additional performance opportunities at some area college and university sporting events may also be scheduled along with regional band competitions.

Meets: Tuesdays & Thursday 3:45-6 pm, U610

Director: Keith Farmer 720-886-6592 kfarmer2@cherrycreekschools.org

Color Guard Coach: Hayley Lena

Black Student Experience

Black Student Experience (BSE) is a gathering of like-minded students of color who empower one another to be seen and heard as Black students within the Grandview community.

Meets: Mondays during both A/B lunch in U323 or U324

Sponsors: Regina Ware; rware@cherrycreekschools.org Colleen Kopay Ckopay@cherrycreekschools.org

Book Club

This club is for Grandview students who love to read! Students choose the books they want to read and meet once a month to discuss.

Meets: 1 Monday a month in U401H

Sponsor: Holly Hoggarth 720-886-6852 hhoggarth@cherrycreekschools.org

Broadcasting Club

Students who join the broadcasting club will learn how to report, write, film and edit feature videos that highlight the students and stories of Grandview. Students will interact and interview with their peers, teachers, administration and other important people of the Grandview community. Students will use the latest digital video and audio equipment as a medium for telling stories, work collaboratively with classmates, and use the industry-standard Adobe Premier to edit video and sound. Broadcast Journalism is a student led publication and is put out by the students and for the students.

All material will be shown on GVTV at the following link: <https://youtube.com/channel/UCv7W1xRNvhKXTK-em3HMizQ>

Meets: 4A in U103

Sponsor: Scott Roberts 720-886-6848 sroberts@cherrycreekschools.org

Chess Club

The Grandview Chess Club welcomes all students at Grandview, and any student who wishes to play and learn chess is encouraged to participate. Chess club offers students the opportunity to participate in informal play and instruction, and students will have the chance to compete at district and state levels against other players in the community. Club members serve as positive role models by displaying outstanding citizenship, good sportsmanship, and quality leadership at all meetings, school functions, and tournaments.

Meets: Every other Monday at 3:40 in L204. Join Schoology page for more information: B4M35-6H6M9

Sponsors: Kim Robbins 720-886-6679 krobbins@CherryCreekSchools.org

Chinese Club

All students interested in Chinese culture are welcome to join. Activities may include cooking, Chinese calligraphy, Tai Chi, Chinese films, music and other cultural events. Students need not be enrolled in Chinese language classes to participate.

Meets: TBD after school, U121 or other locations by announcement

Sponsor: Lise Olsen-Dufour 720-886-6842 lolsen-dufour@cherrycreekschools.org

Cinema Creators Club (This club has a \$10 fee)

The cinema creators club is a creative, yet vigorous club devoted to the art of filmmaking exploration. With the fundamental goal of the club being the acquiring of knowledge about the rules of movie making to ultimately designing and producing their own original film. Therefore, the club provides a way for film lovers and enthusiasts to gather and grow their skills in the cinema world.

Meets: Wednesdays once a month

Sponsor: Scott Roberts 720-886-6848 sroberts@cherrycreekschools.org

Cultural Dance Club

Introduces the community to the diversity of Latin America's culture within each region/country. To learn dances from different cultures through videos, outside coaches, and each other. To learn the history, origins, and significance of traditional dances as well as learn modern dances of today. Open to all students.

Meets: Every Thursday after school 4-5pm in the Dance Room

Sponsor: Karina Bonilla 720-886-6671 tbonilla2@cherrycreekschools.org

National Chinese Honor Society

National Chinese Honor Society is a service organization designed to recognize high achievement in language study at the secondary level. Its goal is to promote the study of language and the appreciation of other cultures. Members must have completed 3+ years of language study, at least one year of language study at Grandview, and maintained a 3.0 cumulative overall GPA and a cumulative 3.5 GPA in Chinese. Its members will be required to complete ten hours of community service per semester within the community and will have the opportunity to plan and participate in cultural activities.

Meets: TBD

Sponsor: Lise Olsen-Dufour 720-886-6842 lolsen-dufour@cherrycreekschools.org

Choral Ensembles

There are six choirs offered at Grandview High School. Students who become highly involved in these choirs may earn a Grandview letter.

Treble Choir

This choir is made up of students in grades 9-12 who love singing. They perform a variety of music at school concerts as well as around the Denver area.

Meets: During 4A & 4B, U606

Tenor/Bass Choir

This choir is made up of students in grades 9-12 who love to sing. They perform a variety of music at school concerts as well as in the Denver area.

Meets: During 1A, U606

Camerata (by audition only)

This select group performs a variety of music in Grandview and in the community.

Meets: During 2A, U606

Bella Voce (by audition only)

This advanced group of female singers takes performance trips to various festivals throughout the United States and overseas. They also perform a variety of music at school concerts.

Meets: During 3A, U606

Chamber Singers (by audition only)

This advanced group of both men and women takes performance trips to various festivals throughout the United States and overseas. They perform a variety of music for special events and for school performances.

Meets: During 3B, U606

Jazz (by audition only)

This highly selective choir competes in state and national performances representing the jazz style. They also perform for school, district and community events.

Meets: During 1B, U606

Sponsors: Darin Drown 720-886-6590 ddrown@cherrycreekschools.org and Teresa Newman 720-886-6529 tnewman@cherrycreekschools.org

Cyber Patriot

This is a competition club where our teams of 5-6 individuals compete against teams from schools across the country in cyber security related events. Basically, we run virtualization software with Windows and Linux images that have been compromised in some way so that they are not secure. The competitors identify and fix all security flaws that they find to earn points.

Meets: Every second and fourth Monday 3:30-5:00 in L109

Sponsor: Kyler Barker kbarker@cherrycreekschools.org 720-886-6514

DECA (Marketing)

Students enrolled in Marketing I or Marketing II are strongly encouraged to participate in DECA. Through active participation in DECA, members learn how to lead and participate in-group discussions, preside at meetings and conferences, work effectively within committees, and engage in practical problem solving and decision-making. Through participation in local, district, state, and national activities, DECA members develop a better understanding of the business world, become conscious of their civic obligations, and develop social poise and leadership ability. The DECA program of work includes activities related to class work, participation in community projects, district and state meetings and competitive events. Grandview DECA students apply their business skills by selling food, drinks, and school supplies in the school store in the commons. DECA members may compete in conferences during the fall and spring and are eligible for scholarship opportunities. Highly involved members may earn a letter in DECA.

Meets: Co-curricular club (meetings occur in each individual class), U132

Sponsor: Bonnie Enright 720-886-6557 benright@cherrycreekschools.org

Esports

The Grandview Esports League is open to all students who want to be involved with competitive video-gaming. We offer a unique opportunity for students to compete in a CHSAA recognized sport where gamer athletes have the opportunity to earn scholarships towards higher education. All students who are a part of Grandview Esports are still subject to grade eligibility requirements and are expected to participate in all scheduled games and practices just as a traditional sport. Team members serve as positive role models by displaying outstanding citizenship, good sportsmanship, and quality leadership at all practices, games, and tournaments. There is a \$90 athletics fee for participating on a Grandview ESports official team. Additionally, for gamers who aren't ready to make the jump to an official competitive ESports team, we are offering the Grandview ESports Academy option. This option is for students who would like to play recreationally after school and work on their gaming skills. The cost to participate in the Grandview ESports Academy is \$30 per semester.

Meets: Practices: Monday-Thursday 3:45pm-5:30pm in room L108

League of Legends: Games will be played on Tuesdays in L108 @ 4:00pm

Super Smash Bros: Games will be played on Wednesdays in L108 @4:00pm

Rocket League: Games will be played on Thursdays in L108 @4:00pm

*NEW for 2023! Mario Kart Deluxe will be played on Thursdays in L108 @4:00pm.

Fall season starts in September. Spring season starts in February

Sponsor: Carlos Nevares 720-886-6521 cnevares@cherrycreekschools.org & Megan Taylor 720-886-6804

mtaylor54@cherrycreekschools.org

F=MA

F=MA is Grandview's first club around physics. The purpose is to host a collaborative environment to host the study of physics and help facilitate the nationally recognized physics competition "F=MA". This is available to all students who are taking any physics courses at Grandview. Students will have the opportunity to meet and talk with other students who are taking physics to have help on assignments, labs, and help prepare for tests. Students will also have access to compete in the physics F=MA. F=MA is a nationally recognized competition where students will have the chance to prove their physics prowess. The cost to participate is \$15 and the F=MA test will be hosted on February 9th

Meets: Every 1st and 3rd Monday from 3:30-4:30 in the Math Resource room.

Sponsor: Kim Robbins 720-886-6679 krobbins@cherrycreekschools.org

Fashion and Design Club

Passion for Fashion is not a limitation. Most teenagers have their own taste for fashion even though they don't know it! And we would love for everyone to come join the Fashion and Design Club and express themselves, not just through clothing, but also through their artistic abilities. Our focus is to allow members to create and design their own unique pieces of clothing and accessories. We will be planning out amazing events such as: a fashion show and even a cosplay party! We will also integrate the topic of sustainable fashion, where we will discuss current changes in the fashion system towards greater environmental integrity and social justice and connect with sustainability organizations to expand our collective awareness. Our club will also participate in community outreach events and plan out fundraisers. Additionally, we would like to incorporate cultural elements into our club, displaying and learning about diverse, cultural fashion from our members. Our entire purpose is to inspire young minds to the creativity of expression through fashion. You don't even need to draw a perfect circle! Scribbles and lines will do just fine! Please come join the Passion for Fashion Club!

Meets: Every B day Tuesday in U304 from 3:40pm-4:30pm

Sponsor: Lexi Wissler 720-886-6543 awissler@cherrycreekschools.org

FBLA (Future Business Leaders of America)

Students involved in FBLA have a unique opportunity to make a connection with their school, community, and the business world. FBLA is a national organization that places emphasis on service to others, social events as well as district, state and national competitive conferences.

Meets: Last Thursday of month 7:50 am & 3:45 pm, Lecture Center

Sponsors: Ann Lujan 720-886-6862 alujan2@cherrycreekschools.org Larry La Flam 720-886-6548 lflam@cherrycreekschools.org

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

FCCLA is a national vocational student organization for high school students associated with the Family and Consumer Sciences classes. Membership and participation in leadership and community service projects is open to all Grandview students, but students who have taken a FACS class are eligible to become nationally affiliated members and use this on their resume! Students are also able to compete in the state competition and are able to letter!

Meets: TBD

Sponsor: Kari Berezky kberezky@cherrycreekschools.org

Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA)

We are a community working to see the world transformed by Jesus Christ through the influence of athletes. We desire to see every athlete enter a growing relationship with Jesus Christ and His church. We seek to make disciples through our strategy of engaging, equipping and empowering athletes to know and grow in Christ and lead others to do the same.

Meets: Wednesday mornings in the AUX gym at 7:20am

Sponsor: Nate Robinson 720-886-6599 naterobinson@cherrycreekschools.org, Jeff Ryan 720-886-6845 jryan10@cherrycreekschools.org Jared Neal 720-886-6647 jneal@cherrycreekschools.org

French Club

French Club does a variety of activities related to Grandview and to the French-speaking world. We march in the Homecoming parade and cheer in French, we plan and attend cultural outings in Denver, we organize educational opportunities for other French students, we do community service to benefit the French-speaking world, we make crepes to sell at the Grandview Craft Fair, and we support other Grandview clubs whenever we can. This group includes students of different ages and you need not be enrolled in French to join us.

Meets: Every A day Tuesdays 3:35 pm, U124

Sponsor: Signe Wichern 720-886-6740 swichern@cherrycreekschools.org

French Honor Society

This is an honor organization for students who have demonstrated excellence in French (level three and above). The students will participate in extracurricular cultural activities, community service, and help support the study of French as well as other groups at Grandview.

Meets: A day Mondays 7:45 am, U101

Sponsor: Liesl Farrier 720-886-6681 lfarrier@cherrycreekschools.org

German Club

German Club is open to anyone interested in the German culture. We participate in homecoming activities, wish week and the international dinner. Last year we made "Schnitzel" and "Lebkuchen" and had a lot of fun. Come join us!

Meets: Tuesday mornings from 7:40am-8:10am in U100

Sponsor: Katherine Allen 720-886-6661 kallen29@cherrycreekschools.org

GHS Women in STEM

Girls who code is a nonprofit organization that is dedicated to closing the gender gap in technology and computer science. Their mission is to inspire more girls to become computer scientist and engineers. At Grandview Highschool, it is a place for students to meet and learn computer science, technology, and engineering in a likeminded group of individuals. We will work together to learn new and interesting things in the field of STEM and even compete in the national organization's competitions.

Meets: Friday mornings L108 from 7:35 am-8:10 am.

Sponsor: Kyler Barker kbarker@cherrycreekschools.org

GTV

Broadcast Journalism I. Students will examine the techniques and technologies involved in creating multi camera shoots for the news and narrative broadcast television genres. Students will explore the unique logistical, structural, and aesthetic methodologies that distinguish broadcast production from other types of production. Students will learn about journalistic ethics and the reporting process, study and analyze professional news feature stories, interact and interview with their peers, teachers, administration and other important people of the Grandview community.

Broadcast Journalism/TV Production II is a course for students wanting to delve more deeply into producing video. Students create videos featuring student activities and promoting schoolwide events. Students practice camera techniques, audio, teleprompting, graphics, editing, lighting, interviewing, reporting, script writing, anchoring, producing and directing. Students will use the latest digital video and audio equipment as a medium for telling stories, work collaboratively with classmates, and use the industry-standard Adobe Premier to edit video and sound.

Habesha

A place for the Habesha community to come together and unite. Activities will allow the showcasing of culture and bring students together. Discussions will take place that relate to Habesha culture and school experience. Our goal is to unify the community and create a great performance for culture night.

Meets: TBD -dependent on sponsor availability.

Sponsor: Tara Smith tsmith3@cherrycreekschools.org and Regina Ware rware@cherrycreekschools.org

Horticultural Society

This club will act as a place where people interested in gardening can gather in a welcoming environment to learn gardening skills and techniques through hands-on experience. The club focuses on growing vegetables, culinary herbs, and flowering annuals and perennials in the school garden outside of the cafeteria patio, as well as houseplants and hydroponics indoors.

Meets: Wednesdays 3:30-4:30pm, garden (Weather permitting) or L212

Sponsor: James Pembrook 720-886-6824 jpembrook3@cherrycreekschools.org

Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA)

HOSA is a club similarly formatted to FBLA where students participate in events competitively with peers on a state and eventually national level. The events consist of 6 main categories, Health Science, Health profession, Emergency Preparedness, Leadership, Teamwork and Recognition. Each of these have testing events, public speaking events, and skill-based events within them. Students should join HOSA for several reasons. HOSA is an international organization, and its conferences provide networking opportunities for students to connect with peers and people in the medical field. Along with this, HOSA also provides students with the opportunity to have hands on learning experiences with the healthcare field, it's a club where you can be more in-depth with your interests in medicine.

Meets: TBD

Sponsor: TBD

Jewish Student Connection

This club will provide diversity to the Activities Program and bring the Jewish Community at Grandview closer together. The intent is to educate those interested in the Jewish Culture.

Meets: Every other Thursday 3:35-5 p in U210

Sponsor: Sarah Humphries 720-886-6861 shumphries@cherrycreekschools.org

Key Club

This is a nationwide community service organization supported by the Kiwanis Club. We help out the less fortunate through our service projects throughout the year.

Meets: Every other Tuesday, 3:45-4:45pm, Lecture Center

Sponsors: Cady Hobbs 720-886-6634 chobbs2@cherrycreekschools.org and Noah Harris 720-886-6675 nharris9@cherrycreekschools.org

Link Crew

A committed group of juniors and seniors who are selected in the spring and trained through the summer to help assist freshmen at orientations and throughout the year (Application process occurs in the spring).

Meets: See Sponsors for schedule.

Sponsor: Jenny Bailey 720-886-6561 jbailey22@cherrycreekschools.org Megan Taylor mtaylor54@cherrycreekschools.org and Emily Muellenberg emuellenberg@cherrycreekschools.org

Math Club

This club is designed for students who love MATH and like some friendly competition. Math club is one where you can learn more about math, STEM related opportunities, and much more. There is also an opportunity to join the Math National Honor Society. Join our Schoology page for updates and upcoming meetings. Use the Access Code

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Meets: Mondays, L105 3:40-4:30pm

Sponsor: Jocelyn Hatfield 720-886-6667 jhatfield@cherrycreekschools.org

Medical Careers Club

This club offers high school students an opportunity to learn about the various and diverse careers available in the medical field. Students can network with other students interested in health-related fields. Guest speakers in a variety of health care positions describe their medical careers and the educational requirements needed. Students receive guidance and direction in how to achieve the goals they are striving to meet in a healthcare career. The club members are also involved in putting on the 9Health Fair for the Grandview students in the spring.

Meets: Most Friday mornings 7:30am-8:10am Lecture center

Sponsor: Brian Hall bhall5@cherrycreekschools.org

Mental Health and Wellness Club

The purpose of this club is to provide opportunities for Grandview High School students to connect over mental health topics, such as anxiety, stress, self-care, and advocacy. Research shows that student-led education and discussion groups decrease stigma and increase awareness about mental health. This club is a place for students of all ethnicities, genders, sexualities, and neural identities to come together in a safe environment to discuss challenging issues about mental health. Join our Schoology page for updates and upcoming meetings. Use the Access Code JJZV- GWPH-SHQTR

Meets: TBD

Sponsor: TBD

MODEL U.N.

Model United Nations, also known as Model UN, or MUN, is an extra-curricular activity in which students typically role-play delegates to the United Nations and simulate UN committees. Students involved in this club will gain access to substantial research, public speaking, debating, and writing skills, as well as critical thinking, teamwork, and leadership abilities. Students will be able to participate in meets with other schools to solve global issues.

Meets: 1st Tuesday of every month in U212

Sponsor: Sarah Humphries 720-886-6861 shumphries@cherrycreekschools.org and KC McQuaid

Music Honor Society

A place where music lovers can work together to help improve our community

Meets: One Thursday a month, in the choir room.

Sponsor: Mindi Loewen 720-886-6629 mloewen@cherrycreekschools.org, Darin Drown ddrown@cherrycreekschools.org

Muslim Student Association

This club will provide diversity to the Activities Program and bring the Muslim Community at Grandview closer together. The intent is to educate those interested in the Muslim Culture.

Meets: 3rd Tuesday of the month 3:35 pm, U102

Sponsor: Christine Jauregui-Citte 720-886-6568 cjauregui@cherrycreekschools.org

Musicals

Fall Musical

Students will have an opportunity to audition for the play to be held in the fall. Watch for audition information.

Sponsor: Brianna Lindahl 720-886-6694 blindahl2@cherrycreekschools.org

9th/10th Grade Winter Play

Students will have an opportunity to audition for the play to be held in the winter. Watch for audition information.

Sponsor: Skylar Ely 720-886-6664 sely@cherrycreekschools.org

Spring Musical

Students will have an opportunity to audition for the musical to be held in the spring. Watch for audition information.

Sponsor: Brianna Lindahl 720-886-6694 blindahl2@cherrycreekschools.org

National Art Honor Society

In some occupations, **creativity** is an integral part of the job. Among these occupations are those for artists and related workers, designers, and media and communication workers. NAHS is a career and technical organization for the arts. Membership and participation is open to all Grandview students. NAHS is founded on art-making experiences, career exploration and community service. Students currently or recently enrolled in visual arts classes are encouraged to join.

Meets: Every other Wednesday 3:35-5 pm, U109

Sponsors: Jennifer Funnell jfunnell3@cherrycreekschools.org and Ann Foster afoster2@cherrycreekschools.org

National Honor Society

Eleventh and Twelfth grade students who have been selected to become members during the spring selection process meet in the Lecture Center August 31 and January 11, with optional service meetings throughout the year. Students interested in the Candidate Selection process can attend informational meetings in the spring, as posted on to website and in letters sent home to qualified candidates, as long as they have a 3.75 weighted GPA and are in 10th and/or 11th grades.

Meets: 1st Tuesday of the month 7:45am & 3:45pm in the Lecture Center

Sponsor: Anna Bergeron 720-886-6576 abergeron@cherrycreekschools.org and Andrea Lohse 720-886-6511 alohse@cherrycreekschools.org

Newspaper

Students in this class plan and produce our school paper, **The Grandview Chronicle**. They become investigative reporters, news and editorial writers, interviewers, editors and photographers. They also layout and design Grandview's monthly paper.

Meets: During 4A, U120

Sponsor: Matt Varca 720-886-6588 mvarca@cherrycreekschools.org

Optimist International Youth Club

To develop Optimism as a philosophy of life utilizing the tenets of the Optimist Creed; To promote an active interest in good government and civic affairs; To inspire respect for the law; To promote patriotism and work for international accord and friendship among all people; To aid and encourage the development of youth, in the belief that the giving of one's self in service to others will advance the well-being of humankind, community life, and the world.

Meets: A-Day Mondays during both lunches in U306

Sponsor: Lauren Bull lbull@cherrycreekschools.org

Orchestra Ensembles

There are three orchestras offered at Grandview High School. Students who become highly involved in these orchestras may earn a Grandview letter.

Chamber (by audition only)

Advanced string musicians, mostly upperclassmen, membership strictly by audition. This group performs original and arranged college-level repertoire from all styles. Primary focus on refining musicianship, technicality, and fosters high-caliber performance standards.

Meets: During 1A, U610

Sponsor: Mindi Loewen 720-886-6629 mloewen@cherrycreekschools.org

Concert

Emerging string musicians, mostly ninth and tenth graders, membership requires no audition, but minimum prerequisite is two or more years of experience on a string orchestral instrument. This group performs original and repertoire from the Baroque and Classical eras, pop, Celtic, Rock and Roll, and many more. Primary focus on refining technique and some remedial concepts.

Meets: During 2B, U609

Sponsor: Mindi Loewen 720-886-6629 mloewen@cherrycreekschools.org

String Quartet Club (Invite only)

Meets: 1st and 3rd quarter

Sponsor: Mindi Loewen 720-886-6629 mloewen@cherrycreekschools.org

Symphonic (by audition only)

Intermediate to advanced string musicians, mostly upperclassmen, membership by audition. This group performs repertoire from the Baroque, Classical, Romantic, and Modern eras, as well as jazz, pop, Celtic, Rock and Roll, and many more. Primary focus on refining musicianship and technicality.

Meets: During 4B, U609

Sponsor: Mindi Loewen 720-886-6629 mloewen@cherrycreekschools.org

Project Unify

Project Unify is a club for all students who would like to make a difference in our school by promoting unity, friendship, respect, and good times among students with and without intellectual disabilities.

Meets: Last Thursday of the month 3:45-4:30 pm, Lecture Center, unless otherwise noted (No meetings in December.)

Sponsor: Paisley Hemminger pheeminger2@cherrycreekschools.org

Ping-Pong

Ping Pong Club welcomes all Grandview students that are interested in playing ping pong after school. Our club gives students an opportunity to play informal games of ping pong against their peers. Students of all abilities are welcome to join in on the fun!

Meets: Every other Tuesday @ 3:40pm in L130

Sponsor: David Johnson djohnson5@cherrycreekschools.org

Puzzles and Board Games

Puzzles and board game club is a club dedicated to getting together and having fun over a shared love of puzzles and board games.

Meets: 1st Friday of every month in the Math Tutoring Center

Sponsor: Nina Young nyoung13@cherrycreekschools.org

Queer Student Alliance (QSA)

QSA is a safe place for the LGBTQIA2+ community to develop relationships with peers in a constructive and accepting way, QSA isn't just a community however as it is also a platform for queer activism and creates an opportunity for queer activism and creates an opportunity for students to voice their passions and opinions on how to make GHS more accessible for the LGBTQIA2+ community.

Meets: Every Monday from 3:30-4:15 pm in U109

Sponsor: Sarah Downey-Gimenez sdowneygimenez@cherrycreekschools.org

Vex Robotics

Vex Robotics is designed to increase student interest and involvement in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) by engaging students in hands-on, affordable, and sustainable robotics engineering programs. We plan to build a competitive team and compete in events like TSA and Vex Robotics for state and national tournaments. Students who have taken robotics or advanced robotics are welcome to join the competitive team.

Sponsor: Kyler Barker kbarker@cherrycreekschools.org 720-886-6514

South Asian Student Association (SASA)

SASA is a club dedicated to uniting the cultures of over a billion and a half people from various South Asian countries through celebration, education, action and service. Because it is a club open to those a part of the South Asian community, as well as others not a part of the community, it will help educate others on and celebrate South Asian culture.

Meets: TBD

Sponsor: Miguel Hungerford mhungerford@Cherrycreekschoold.org

Slavic Studies

Slavic studies is a space to inform people of the unique conglomeration of cultures in the Slavic and Baltic areas, as well, as celebrate their differences. Students will participate in cultural events, workshops, and presentations that will help educate the local community about Slavic and Baltic culture.

Meets: Bi-Weekly on A day Tuesdays in U214

Sponsor: Jason Kosanovich jkosanovich2@cherrycreekschools.org

S.O.A.R

Students Organized Against Racism (SOAR) empowers young people of all races to become catalysts for change through meaningful, ongoing conversations in our schools. As students are given a voice and opportunities for equity/anti-racism leadership, they become a more visible voice for change in their schools and build capacity to lead equity work with the support of school staff. Students are selected by principals, focusing on sophomores or juniors who aspire to be anti-racist leaders involved in equity and racial consciousness conversations. Students should plan to participate in the program for two years and attend a virtual Courageous Conversations about Race training and three S.O.A.R seminar sessions.

For more information, please contact CCSDEquity@cherrycreekschools.org or Dan Taylor or Emily Muellenberg

Sources of Strength

Sources of Strength is a positive messaging program that uses the power of Peer Leaders and social networks to help students find their voice in creating a positive change in their school. The program's goal is to bring awareness to each student's individual strengths. Everyone goes through times of emotional ups and downs. When you know your strengths, you can lean on them when you have feelings of sadness, worry/anxiety, and anger. Sources of Strength Peer Leaders and Adult Leaders/Mentors can help students find their personal strengths.

Meets: TBD

Sponsor: Amber Newcomb anewcomb3@cherrycreekschools.org and Tara Smith tsmith3@cherrycreekschools.org

Spanish Club

This club gives students the opportunity to study the culture of Spanish-speaking countries through group activities that include cooking, outings and other ethnic events.

Meets: Announced in class and on Schoology

Sponsors: Nancy Jensen 720-886-6749 njensen2@cherrycreekschools.org

Spanish Honor Society

The Spanish Honor Society recognizes students who have shown enthusiasm for the Spanish language and culture. The students have maintained an A average in Spanish and an overall GPA of 3.5. We act as a service organization.

Meets: Last Wednesday of each month 8-8:15am and again from 3:40-3:55pm

Sponsors: Sarah Brunke 720-886-6874 sbrunke@cherrycreekschools.org

Speech & Debate

Students prepare for competition in debate, public speaking, and oral interpretation with assistance from coaches and team veterans. Tournaments are held on Saturdays from October to early April. Speech can also be taken as a class. Students have the opportunity to letter and join the National Speech and Debate Association.

Meets: Tuesday/Thursday 3:40-5:10 pm

Sponsors: Kari Hagman 720-886-6853 khagman@cherrycreekschools.org and Katherine Allen 720-886-6661 kallen29@cherrycreekschools.org

Students Demand Action

Students Demand Action will unite with Moms Demand Action and other local schools to advocate for gun safety legislation. Students Demand Action aims to; Advocate for common-sense gun safety laws, elect gun sense candidates at local, state, and national levels, educate our peers and communities on gun safety issues and solutions, register new voters and mobilize our peers, and end gun violence.

Meets: 2 times a month in U312

Sponsor: Jennifer Kirkpatrick 720-889-6803 jkirkpatrick6@cherrycreekschools.org

Student Equity

Review and monitoring of equity action items, equity activities with peers, and opportunities to express student voice through leadership activities; discussions on equity, cultural relevance, evaluation of the school environment, and navigating current issues.

Meets: 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month

Sponsors: Dan Taylor 720-886-6742 dtaylor2@cherrycreekschools.org and Liz Graves

Student Leadership

The Student Leadership Class is opportunity for all grade levels to represent the student body within the school and community. Students in this class serve as the student body officers and class representatives participating leadership training activities and service learning. They also plan numerous activities throughout the school year including Homecoming, Prom, and community service projects. Students must submit an application in the spring for the following school year.

Meets: During 4A Period, L105

Sponsors: Cole Hardy chardy8@cherrycreekschools.org and Allison Schley aschley@cherrycreekschools.org

Technology Student Association (TSA)

Membership and participation is open to all Grandview students. TSA is a national student organization focusing on science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM). The organization promotes technological literacy, leadership, and problem solving through state and national competitive and social events, resulting in personal growth and opportunity. Those students currently or recently enrolled in classes such as engineering and technology as well as graphic arts, tech theatre, creative writing and forensics are encouraged to join.

Meets: Every other Wednesday morning @ 7:15am, L109 (starting August 25th)

Sponsors: Rob Combs 720-886-6766 rcombs2@cherrycreekschools.org and Ann Lujan 720-886-6862 alujan2@cherrycreekschools.org

Teens Reaching Out to Homeless Teens (TROHT)

Students who are interested in philanthropy will have an outlet, volunteer opportunities, and a place to express creative problem solving. The incredible potential of our large student body can come together for the common good of the homeless community.

Meets: Every other Monday, 3:40-4:30 pm U314

Sponsor: Ann Manchester 720-886-6585 amanchester@cherrycreekschools.org

Thespians

Thespians are an honor organization of drama students. Students must earn a number of points to become eligible in the international organization; however, ALL students are invited to join for meetings and activities. Activities include participating in and supporting Grandview Performing Arts Theatre, participating in and building a float for the homecoming parade, "ThesCon" (the state Thespian convention,) organizing and attending GHS and other schools' performances.

Meets: 1st Wednesday of the month 3:40-4:30 pm, U605

Sponsor: Brianna Lindahl 720-886-6694 blindahl2@cherrycreekschools.org

Ummah United

Ummah United is an Islamic focused group working on raising funds to support Islamic Relief USA, Palestinian refugees and the United Nation's UNRWA.

Meets: B day Tuesdays 3:30-4:15

Sponsor: Emily Mullenberg emullenberg@cherrycreekschools.org

We The People

AP US Government and Politics-We The People Grades 11-12. This college level course provides students an in-depth examination of the structure of the United States government, how citizens, the media, political parties, and interest groups influence it, and how American politicians gain, keep, and use power. Students spend most of the first semester developing their research, writing, and public speaking skills through the We the People program, which involves Constitutional research and analysis. We the People has been the subject of over 20 studies showing its unique educational achievements. This course will meet Colorado's graduation requirements for Government. Students will take the AP U.S. Government and Politics exam in the spring. Due to the advanced nature of this course, grades will be weighted.

Sponsor: Jason Kosanovich

Writers' Den Literary Magazine

Grandview High School's Literary Magazine is a publication devoted to all creative writers and artists within the school. Students can show off their poetry, short stories, novellas, and artwork in a professional-style online school magazine.

We are constantly accepting writings, poems, and artwork, join us!

Meets: B day Mondays 3:45-4:30pm U324

Sponsor: Ace Eggleston 720-886-6643 aeggleston@cherrycreekschools.org

Yearbook

In this class, students plan, create and produce the Grandview yearbook, The View. They are responsible for all aspects of production and design. They learn to conduct interviews, cover and photograph school and related events, write and edit copy, layout pages and meet deadlines. Members are expected to learn and practice responsible journalism.

Meets: During 3A, U116

Sponsor: Matt Varca 720-886-6588 mvarca@cherrycreekschools.org