TED-Ed Club

Sponsor: Kevin Temple **Meeting Dates:** Dates TBD; will begin after Outdoor Ed **Location:** 304

TED-Ed Club is a school-friendly framework developed by TED Conferences LLC ("TED") to support students and teachers who wish to meet regularly to lead and participate in discussions relating to TED Talks. TED-Ed Club provides a forum for students to pursue, present and record their own original ideas in the form of short TED-like presentations.

Art Club

Sponsor: Ashley Skinner

Meeting Dates: Tuesdays after School beginning September 11th (No meetings in March due to Volleyball)

Location: Art Room, 208

Art Club is open to students in 6th-8th grade to further explore their interest in the visual arts. It meets weekly throughout the school year (with the exception of March). Students have the opportunity to create and sell handmade items at our annual F.A.M. (Food, Art, Music) Night (Friday, January 25th). Students strengthen their creative problem solving skills and contribute to school events such as the drama productions.

208 Creates

Sponsor: Ashley Skinner

Meeting Dates: Determined by group. Will include weekend dates

Location: Art Room, 208

208 Creates is a sister club to art club. Students will work in small groups to develop creative solutions for site specific areas at Churchville. The work has included three bathroom updates, the installation of a wing mural, our logo in the main hallway, and updated stairwell signs. The club combines creativity and collaboration to celebrate our awesome Charger community. Students should attend art club on Tuesday, September 11th to find out more information.

Yearbook

Sponsor: Ashley Skinner

Meeting Dates: Wednesdays after school beginning September 12th. *Deadline for applications is Monday, Sept. 10th*

Location: Art Room, 208

Yearbook is open to students in 7th and 8th grade. Students must apply to be a yearbook editor. Once selected, the editors develop a theme. They design the cover and carry the layout across 48 pages of full color. Students have access to computers, digital cameras, and past yearbooks. Students also plan the marketing and track sales. Our final meeting concludes with the distribution of books in May.

Eco Club

Sponsor: Ben Hartman
Meeting Dates: Wednesdays after school beginning September 26th
Location: Meet in the POD room 110G, then outside
Eco club is open to students in 6th-8th grade. Students help maintain the outdoor areas of the

school including the Churchville prairie, diversity garden, quad, and Ron Capek garden. They also find ways to reuse materials and encourage sustainable and environmentally friendly practices within the Churchville community.

Latino Culture Club (LCC)

Sponsors: Rebecca Villalobos and Lynae Maciel **Meeting Dates:** 9/11, 9/25, 10/9, 10/23, 11/6,11/20,12/4, and 12/18. **Location:** 201

LCC is a student-led club dedicated to offering students opportunities to celebrate and embrace Latino culture. Our activities allow students to be engaged while raising cultural awareness. Meetings will be held in English and Spanish. LCC will meet on Tuesdays after school (3:30-4:20pm). A \$10 district-fee is collected. If you need assistance, please contact Ms. Rebecca Villalobos (630) 993-8869.

Student Council - School and Community Events

Sponsors: Barbara Ahlgrim and Anthony Petersen

Meeting Dates: 1st Meeting is Wednesday, September 5. Then, Every Monday starting on 9/10.

Location: Pod 110G

Student Council offers individuals the opportunity to become leaders and make a positive difference within our school and community. We welcome the 6th, 7th and 8th-grade students who applied to be student leaders. We look forward to a great year! Our 1st event is the 6th Grade "Welcome to Churchville Party" open to all 6th Graders right after school on Wednesday, September 19.

Industrial Tech Club

Sponsor: Dylan Burgett

Meeting Dates: Most Mondays, starting September 24th

Location: 115/117

Industrial Tech Club is a place where students come together to build fun and interesting things, and develop their design and building skills. Members will choose what the group will build (within reason!). Past projects include bat houses, tool boxes, catapults, CO2-powered race cars, and many others. Tech Club is available to the first 15 students who sign-up. All grades are welcome.

WEB

Sponsor: Katherine Swiniuch Meeting Dates: TBD Location: TBD

WEB, which stands for "Where Everybody Belongs" is a middle school orientation and transition program that welcomes 6th graders and makes them feel comfortable throughout the first year of their middle school experience. Built on the belief that students can help students succeed, the program trains 8th grade mentors to be WEB Leaders. As positive role models, WEB Leaders are mentors and student leaders who guide the 6th graders to discover what it takes to be successful during the transition to middle school and help facilitate 6th grade success. WEB has proven to increase academic achievement, decrease bullying, enhance character development, and has made students feel as though people care about them in middle school. Please contact Mrs. Swiniuch if you have any questions at <u>kswiniuch@elmhurst205.org</u>

Coding Club

Sponsor: Debra Segiet

Meeting Dates: Every other Thursday Starting September 27th with last meeting on 5/9/19 **Location:** 307

Students can attend as many meetings that fit their schedule. Students will be learning the coffescript language through Code Monkey and complete various challenges. They will also code through many adventures using Google CS and Scratch.

Circle of Friends

Sponsors: Katherine Swiniuch and Laura Finkel

Meeting Dates: TBD; check outside Mrs. Finkel's office or room 301 for meeting dates. Will meet 2 times a month and be on different days.

Location: 301

Circle of Friends is a club open to all 6th, 7th, and 8th graders. The goal of this club is help ALL students feel part of the Churchville community by participating in after-school activities and typical social get-togethers with peers. Events are planned by club members. The club meets every other week on different days so students can be involved in other after school activities. The dates for the first semester are listed below.

6th GRADE GTO CLUB

Sponsor: Kristen Olsen

Meeting Dates: Every Wednesday from October 3rd through January 30th

Location: 210

The Give To Others (GTO) Club is a feel good club for all 6th graders. The main goal of the Give to Others club is to raise money to donate to various organizations in need. We are able to raise this money through bake sales. During the club meetings, the students bake goods that will be sold for 50 cents each at a monthly bake sale after school. In the past, the Give to Others club has donated to the Churchville library, The Susan G. Komen Foundation, Children Up, Juvenile Diabetes, the Elmhurst United Community Concerns Association, and many more. If you have any questions please contact Kristen Olsen at Kolsen@elmhurst205.org.

7th/8th GRADE GTO SEWING CLUB

Sponsor: Kristen Olsen

Meeting Dates: Every Wednesday from February 6th through May 15th **Location:** 210

7th and 8th graders also have the opportunity to give back to the community. Starting in February, students will be able to join the Give to Others Sewing club. This club will learn

February, students will be able to join the Give to Others Sewing club. This club will learn the basics of sewing in order to make various projects to donate to those in need. Last year, students made pillowcases and blankets to be donated to the children's hospital, fleece hats for the homeless, and hats for babies in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit. We will find projects to work on as a club based on the needs of the community. If you have any questions, please contact Kristen Olsen at KOlsen@elmhurst205.org.

HENRY'S HUT

Sponsor: Kristen Olsen

Meeting Dates: Every day after school (depending on the ways scheduled to work) **Location:** Main Foyer

Henry's Hut is a snack shack open every day after school for 10 minutes. Henry's Hut sells snacks (granola bars, goldfish, pretzels, fruit snacks, and animal crackers) for 50 cents each. Water bottles are also sold for \$1 each. Students are able to stop by on their way to the bus, home, or after-school activities. Henry's Hut is run by 7th and 8th-grade volunteers. Applications were filled out and turned in by August 29th and students were assigned specific days to work. Students are responsible for helping customers, counting money, taking inventory, and advertising various promotions throughout the year. If you have any questions about Henry's Hut or would like to volunteer please contact Kristen Olsen at Kolsen@elmhurst205.org.

Jazz Band

Sponsor: Cynthia Krause

Meeting Dates: Mondays beginning on 9/11

Location: 106

Churchville Jazz Band is an after school club open to members of band, orchestra, and choir. Although the style of Jazz Band is within the context of a "Big Band" setting (saxes, trumpets, trombones, rhythm section), any traditional band or orchestra instrumentalist (6th, 7th, 8th grade) is welcome to participate. In addition, we also use piano and rhythm guitar (please note that students must have some skills – they will not be taught how to play the instrument). Music is chosen within that genre, and beginning improvisation ("soloing") is also taught. Performances in the past have included band concerts, Churchville open house, variety show/FAM nite, Student/Faculty basketball game, and McTeacher night, and the Kiwanis breakfast. For more information, contact Mrs. Krause, 630-617-2370 x3727 ckrause@elmhurst205.org

Chatter our Churchville Newspaper

Sponsor: Maria Price Meeting Dates: TBD Location: Library

Students in grades six, seven, and eight, are invited to be a part of our school publication. We create, write, draw, investigate, and communicate on the newspaper staff. Meetings are set up generally one day a week after school, but multiple dates usually develop during the week depending on the active after school life of our students. Once we get our staff we will look at what day or days work to meet. Many busy students work well with a check in with me and then complete their tasks electronically. Don't let your other interests stop you from being a part of our paper. I can work with any student who wants to be a part of this experience. If you have any questions please contact Mrs. Price. Applications for the newspaper staff will be out in September.

Science Olympiad
Sponsor: Anthony Petersen
Meeting Dates: Tuesdays and Thursdays starting on 9/25
Location: 312
Science Olympiad is a nationwide program that aims to provide a fun and competitive

environment for students to study various topics in the sciences. Students prepare for a regional tournament in March by building, testing and developing various tasks in many different events.