

# MJHS Extracurricular Activities

## THE CHRISTIAN CLUB

**FOCUS:** This club is for students who desire to express their Christian faith at school. We share a short non-denominational devotion and prayer one day a week. **MEMBERSHIP:** All students are welcome. **ACTIVITIES:** "See You At the Pole" and weekly devotional times. **MEETINGS:** Wednesday mornings @ 7:40 A.M.

**SPONSOR:** Dawn Smith

**DUES:** none

## NATIONAL JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY

**FOCUS:** The purpose of NJHS is to create an enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote leadership and citizenship, and to develop the character of students at Marion Junior High School. **MEMBERSHIP:** In order to be considered as a member, students must have a GPA of 3.00 as a semester average with no grade below a "B". Students must not have a conduct grade below "S". Additionally, a student must be enrolled in at least one Honors-level or Pre-advanced placement course. **ACTIVITIES:** supply and run the bookstore, produce the school newspaper, various community and school outreach projects. **MEETINGS:** twice a month

**SPONSOR:** Sandy Cook

**DUES:** \$5

## PEER TUTORS

**FOCUS:** This service is designed for students who want to provide academic help to other students. Peer tutors assist other students with math, science, English, and history assignments. Tutors can help students organize material and provide study tips or be a "study-buddy". **MEMBERSHIP:** Any student who has "A" and "B" grades and satisfactory conduct can apply to become a tutor. These grades and conduct must be maintained throughout the school year. **ACTIVITIES:** Provide daily tutoring for 8th and 9th grade students during the 25-minute homeroom period. **MEETINGS:** announced throughout the year

**SPONSOR:** Debbie Jackson

**DUES:** None

## THE QUIZ BOWL

**FOCUS:** Students use quickness and knowledge of trivia facts from all content areas to participate in academic challenges with other schools. **MEMBERSHIP:** Students are chosen in a 2-round process. (a) Students take a 100 question written test that spans 10 content and knowledge areas. (b) The students who do best on the written test are called back to participate in a scrimmage match using buzzers and actual questions. **ACTIVITIES:** weekly practice, matches with area schools, regional and state tournaments held in February and March. **MEETINGS:** weekly

**SPONSOR:** Joan Daniel

**DUES:** none

## The T.O.N.E. Club

**FOCUS:** Teens of Northeast Arkansas is a club that focuses on teenagers having a positive influence on their peers. Members should be school leaders who advocate for a drug/alcohol/tobacco-free school and community. **MEMBERSHIP:** Any student who signs a pledge to be drug/alcohol/tobacco-free is eligible to join. Members must get a teacher recommendation and not have any negative comments from the MJHS staff. **ACTIVITIES:** RED RIBBON WEEK is a mandatory activity that we plan and implement. Additionally, club members will choose from a variety of other activities such as: Junior High Heroes, Fatal Vision Goggles, Operation Prom Night, candy grams, a "ghost out," door decorating contest, TCK or teens coaching kids, mentoring program, etc. **MEETINGS:** during homeroom on the first Tuesday of each month

**SPONSOR:** Catherine White

**DUES:** \$10

## Family, Careers, and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

**FOCUS:** FCCLA is a national non-profit student organization that helps young men and women become strong leaders in families, careers, and communities through Family and Consumer Science Education. These young people organize in local chapters to develop and lead projects that address important personal, family, career, and societal issues. **MEMBERSHIP:** All students who are presently enrolled or have been enrolled in a Family and Consumer Science course are eligible to participate in FCCLA. **ACTIVITIES:** Field trip to the Mid-South Fair, STAR Events, and Power of One. Projects are determined by the club members. **MEETINGS:** announced throughout the year.

**SPONSORS:** Judy Jones

**DUES:** none