

RFA ACTIVITIES 2016-2017

- Art Club**-(Sybil Preski) (The art club has participated in painting scenes for the school plays. Last year they painted the two sides and the back of a truck for M&L Trucking. They also traveled to Disney World.
- Asian Culture Club** Not active this year.
- Band Club**-(Jake Meiss)
- Bible Club**-(Adam Backman)
- Black History Club**-(Mike Lacey) The Black History Club promotes better relationships between students, by attempting to rid cultural barriers through education and understanding. Another aspect of the club is to learn about the past and present of black history. It also promotes the preservation of the black culture.
- Block R Club**-(Kelly Hoke) Being athletic in a civil state, students working hard on and off the field. Promotes the highest ideals for sportsmanship through competition, high standards for athletics.
- Bookstore**-(Mary Campbell) Select students assist in running the school bookstore while selling school supplies and other needs.
- BSI Broadcast**-(Cynthia Arthur) The function of the Bureau of Student Information is to disseminate school and community information that is useful to students and staff.
- Chess Club**- (John Kirby)
- Choreographer-RFA Musical**-(Jake Meiss)

Select Choir- (Not active this year) Gifted and talented vocal students are part of the select choir. They entertain us at many concerts throughout the year. It's a privilege to hear them sing.

Class of '17 – (Paula Come & Brenda Brockway)

Class of '18 – (Kaila Hoskins & Rebecca Ciotti)

Class of '19 – (Lynne Duffy & Robert Romeo)

Class of '20 – (Katie Bliss & Rick Dursi)

Competitive Field Band Director-RFA-(Jake Meiss)

Concert Choir-(Michelle Rushford) –

Credit Union-(Mary Campbell & Nancy Witter)

Deo-Wain-Sta-(Peter Maitland & Karen Gaesser) Students who participate in this club help produce RFA's yearbook, the Deo-Wain-Sta.

Drama Club-(Michelle Rushford) Students interested in acting and the performing arts show off their talent during their seasonal plays.

Engineering Club-(Dan Slator) This club works on projects that are both big and small.

Fermata Nowhere-RFA-(Michelle Rushford)

French Club-(Kathy Olney & Cynthia Elliott) The French Club promotes cultural trips and activities that enhance the study of French.

Future Business Leaders-(Mary Campbell)

Galleries-(Erin Gleason & Erin Corleto) Members of Galleries work with Ms. Gleason & Erin Corleto on layout photography and the computer. They create the school magazine, collect and arrange art, poetry, publish and sell.

Gay Straight Alliance- (Chris Scharf)

History Club-(Kerry Boyce)

Honor Society-(Nancy Neiley & Debbie Daskiewich) Students who have shown off their dedication and commitment to both academics and community service.

Interact Club-(Nancy Neiley)

Italian Club-(Annmarie Pasqualetti)

The Italian Club promotes cultural trips and activities that enhance the study of Italian.

Key Club-(Stacy Butcher)

The five major goals of Key Club achieved through community service projects: to better the community, to better the school and the quality of education, to give members experience in working together; and to provide for the best possible atmosphere of caring in the home, school and the community. The motto of Key Club: "Caring....Our Way of Life."

Knight Spot-(Mary Campbell)

Select students assist in running this store during the lunch periods that provides snacks and soda.

Knight Times-(Erin Corleto)

These are the writers for the school newspaper that provides the school with current information.

Leo Club-(Maureen Nash)

To help the visually/hearing impaired. Community service projects & fundraising will be held. Learn teamwork, cooperation & collaboration to help make changes to your community and the world.

Marching Band Game Stipend-(Jake Meiss)

Marching Band Assistant-
(Melissa Rashford)

Marching Band Brass Caption Head-(Bob Verminski)

Marching Band Colorguard-(Lindsay Mogle)

Marching Band Woodwind Caption Head-(Anne Gannon)

Marching Band Colorguard Instructor-(Jamie Mazur)

Marching Band Drumline Instructor-(Derek Sexton)

Mathletics-(Melissa Richardson)

Those who like math can test their knowledge by solving challenging math problems while competing against other schools.

Mock Trial-(Rick Dursi)

The Mock Trial Team goes against other

schools in competitions dealing with court cases. The New York State Bar Association sponsors it.

Musical Accompanist-(Stephanie Spindler)

Musical-Advisor-(Kerri Winkler & Leanna Guerrieri)

This group works hard throughout the year to put on many different musicals for our entertainment.

Musical Director-(Jake Meiss)

Pit Conductor-RFA Musical-(Jake Meiss)

Producer-RFA Musical-(Kristen Meiss)

Costumes For Musical-(Gail Tucker)

In charge of costumes for musical

Set Construction For Musical-(Jim Lee)

Construct sets for musical

Orchestra Club-Strolling Strings-(MaryKay Madonia)

This talented ensemble of orchestra students put in extra time rehearsing and memorizing music to play at concerts and events at school and in the community.

Peer Leaders-(Kerry Boyce)

Make their mark with children and make new friends by corresponding with pen pals.

Pep Club-(Anne Fanelli)

Organization that produces banners and signs for supporting all school-sponsored athletics and events.

Recycling Club-(Lynne Duffy)

Rhapsody-(Jake Meiss)

Robotics(VEX)-RFA-(Jed Musch)

SADD-(Chris Scharf)

Students Against Destructive Decisions encourages all young people to adopt a substance-free life style and following the drinking age of 21.

Science Club-(Chris Calogero/Peter Maitland)

Students with science interests participate in projects, field trips and science fairs.

Sign Language Club

Not active this year.

Ski Club-(Ryan Tuggey)

Spanish Club-(Kristianne Bauer / Jennifer Beaupre)

The Spanish Club promotes cultural trips and activities that enhance the study of Spanish.

Speech & Debate-(Mike Lacey)

Members of the Speech & Debate Club are able to participate in competition with students across the state. This is an opportunity for them to voice themselves as speakers and readers. Three important qualities necessary to success in this club are courage, creativity and concentration.

Stage Band-(Shelby Bird)

Stage Manager-(Allison Young)

For Musical

Student Association-(Anne Fanelli & Mike Bartlett)

This group is not only involved with our school, but our community. STASS raises money for organizations such as Hunter's Hope. They are the first to lend a helping hand.

Teen Aids Task Force-(Not active this yr.)

The mission of the Teen AIDS Task Force is to work in conjunction with AIDS Community Resources and their own school administration to supplement the existing HIV/AIDS health education curriculum.

Travel Club-(JoAnne Ambrose & Cynthia Arthur)

Winterguard Director-RFA-(Lindsay Mogle)

JV Winterguard Director-RFA(BOCES)-(Michael-Anderson Carpenter)

Indoor Drumline (Pit)-RFA(BOCES)-(Rich Galluppi)

Indoor Drumline(Battery)-RFA-(BOCES)-(Derek Sexton)

Winterguard (Jr. Staff) (BOCES) 3 people-(Lauren Impicatore, Jamie Mazur, Taylor McLain)

YES Club-(Not active this year)

Student leaders and participants have a better chance of getting into the college of their choice than uninvolved students, according to admission officers from four selective universities.