



MMS YouthNet Plus Winter 2024 Clubs



**Registration Starts December
12th → Ends on January 11, 2024**

Sign up today!

**Winter Clubs will run from:
January 22, 2024 - March 8,
2024**

**Clubs meet from 3:15pm- 4:15pm
Club members must attend
conference with a teacher while
waiting for clubs to begin**

Visit

<https://somayouthnet.org/middle-school-clubs-1>
today to register!
Questions? Email youthnetplus@gmail.com

MONDAY

Board Game & Puzzles Club: Ms. Lindsey Reed Rm. 132 - Come and enjoy new and old board games and tackle challenging puzzles that will test you both mentally and strategically!

Marvel/DC Club: Mr. Richard Palmgren Rm. 156 - MARVEL! DC! Explore your favorite superheroes in this fun and interactive class! Learn hidden details about all your favorite characters from movies, cartoons and comics! Get FREE COMICS to enjoy on your own or trade with friends!

MMS Fitness: Mr. Ray Mantes Rm. 279 - With constantly varied, functional movements, MMS Fitness will coach students of all shapes and sizes to improve their physical well-being to prepare them for races and events that we will participate in throughout the year (Spring: obstacle course races). Students will meet in Room 279 and classes will be held in the Dance Studio from 3:15-4:15. See Mr. Mantes for details.

Knitting & Crocheting Club: Ms. Debra Silva Rm. 281 - Would you like to learn the basics of knitting or crocheting? Come learn and create a craft. **There is a one-time \$5.00 supply fee for the 6-week session.**

Pickleball Club: Mr. David Crouch Rm. Gym - You don't need to like pickles to like pickleball, but you do need to like having fun! Pickleball ball is an exciting sport that has gained a lot of followers recently. If you've never heard of Pickleball, think tennis on a much smaller court with a wooden paddle and plastic ball. Join the Pickleball Club today and be a part of the Pickleball Craze!!

Junior Historians: Mr. Brian Kaplan Rm. 17 - Do you have a love for history? Do you think old stuff is cool? Have you ever wondered about the origins of things around you? Join the Junior Historians Club, where we'll inspect intriguing artifacts, explore historical architecture, and learn more about how our surroundings came to be!

WEDNESDAY

Murder Mystery: Ms. Sara Miller Rm. 297- Murder Mystery - Are you interested in solving crime and uncovering mysteries? Come join us in our Murder Mystery club where we will read through (fictional) cases and determine who the murderer is. Each week we will aim to work on a new case to investigate. We will be reusing the same mysteries from last season. Only accepting 25



Asian Culture Club: Ms. ChaiChi Chaing & Mei-Lu Weaver Rm 295 - is an inclusive and safe space for a diverse group of Maplewood Middle School students. This new club's aim is to build cross-cultural understanding and promote positive relationships amongst students of all backgrounds. There will be ample opportunities to learn about Asian cultures as well as immerse oneself in cultural activities. This is a no-judgment zone where students have fun, make new friends, and discover the multifaceted culture of Asia. Everyone is welcome.

Gamer's Association: Mr. Daniel Risueno & Sarah Bambilla Rm 286 - The game club will discuss and play games, whether it be board games or video games. We will also discuss recent news pertaining to games of interest.

UNO Club: Ms. Brittany Strauss Rm. 289 - Do you enjoy playing the card game UNO? Come join us to play different types of UNO with your friends! It is a great way to meet new people in a fun way!

THURSDAY

Soccer Club: Ms. Melissa Parks Rm. Memorial Field - We play soccer at Memorial Park after school. We hope to enjoy a friendly game of soccer and socialize with new and old friends.

Stay Late and Create: Ms. Michele Reisman Rm. 296 - If you love art and being creative, trying different materials, and meeting new people, then Stay Late and Create is the perfect fit for you. You choose what you would like to do each week. Bring a smock and meet for an hour of art, craft, design, and fun. **There is a one-time \$5.00 supply fee for the 6-week session.** Max

of 24 students. (Financial help is available for those unable to give the supply fee.)

Book Talk: Ms. Sara Miller Rm. 297- Do you love to read? Are you looking for your next favorite book? Join book talk! You can choose whatever book you'd like to read, and whether you get through one book or 10, it's all up to you! Each week we'll spend some time reading and as you finish a book we'll chat about your review, you might inspire someone else to read it too! Can't wait to see you there!

Adventures Club: Mr. Richard Palmgren Rm. 156 - Explore the world of Role Play and Fantasy including D & D, Magic: The Gathering, and other unique adventure and fantasy games! Learn tips and tricks to be an effective DM! A great time and place to continue your existing campaigns and adventures or to start a new one!

History of Anime: Mr. Ray Mantes Rm. 279 - This club will document the history of anime. During the 6 sessions, we will talk about the most important and influential events in the anime industry. Then we will learn how to draw the famous anime characters from the specific era, and then watch an episode.

Spectrum Club: Ms. Ceelea Graham & Jennifer Castano Rm. 138 - A safe space for all students to explore questions, issues, and experiences around gender identity and expression, and sexual orientation. The club is open for student input and planning of activities, school events, and promotion of awareness in the school.

Basketball Club: Coach Brandon Rm. Gym - The goal of this club is to encourage students to use the game of basketball as a way to bond, learn, and work together. Please make sure to wear athletic apparel along with athletic shoes. Basketballs will be provided but students should bring water to stay hydrated. **This club will meet from 4:15pm-5:15pm with a max of 15 students.**

FRIDAY

Nintendo Club: Kevin S03 - Make new friends, play with old friends, and compete in a positive environment. Play Mario Kart and Super Smash Bros.!

FULL
CAPACITY

Test your skills on Nintendo 64, Gamecube, and Nintendo Switch. (20 student limit)

Cinema Club: Ms. Brittany Strauss Rm. 289 - Do you enjoy watching TV and movies? Want to discuss and learn more about them? Hang out with us as we watch and analyze shows and movies you vote on!

Cougar Crunch Fitness Club: Mr. Seth Goodstone Rm. 280 - Feel inspired at this fitness club focusing on getting your body healthy. We will watch awesome videos and do for jogs and perform body weight exercises. This club is designed for all students and guaranteed to improve your strength and overall body awareness.



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HOW TO SIGN UP FOR A CLUB?

1) Beginning today, please fill out and submit the [2023 YouthNet Spring Registration Form for MMS](#). If you are signing up for more than one club, you should use the same permission form and select all clubs you are registering for. One form per student.

2) Fill out the permission slip form; for Spring registration before the deadline- March 31st, 2023.

Participation in **1 Club** per week - **\$60**
Participation in **2 Clubs** per week - **\$80**
Participation in **3 Clubs** per week - **\$100**
Participation in **4 Clubs** per week - **\$120**

Payments can be made on the YouthNet website at <https://somayouthnet.org/middle-school-clubs-1>. (please indicate the PayPal confirmation number on the registration form). **No one will be turned away due to financial hardship.**

3) Club signups are based on a first come, first serve basis. **Some clubs have roster limits and fill up fast, so please fill out the registration form along with paying the registration fee as soon as possible to secure your spot in the club.**

Clubs run from 3:15 - 4:15pm.

From 2:45PM - 3:15PM your student **must** be with a teacher for conference time.

Clubs that do not have enough students registered will not run. The club advisor will email if the club will not run. The club advisor will email if any meetings are canceled and need to be rescheduled.

Need to contact YouthNet?

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