Hoover High Clubs

HHS CLUB LIST						
CLUB	WHO CAN JOIN?	DUES	DESCRIPTION/PURPOSE	SPONSOR(S)		
Acoustic Club	All students	None	Play the guitar? Banjo? Mandolin? Want to play in a group and get better? Join us for an informal jam session every club day. Club members will need to bring their own instrument(s) on club days.	Brad Coltrane	G203	
Acts of Kindness (AOK)	All Students	None	Want to make a difference in the lives of others while making a difference in your own life? The Acts of Kindness Club focuses on simple ways to make someone's day brighter. Join us as we make the world a better place one act of kindness at a time.	Gale Flynn Melissa Moore Rebecca Ogden	C237	
Addiction Prevention Coalition	All Students	None	Addiction Prevention Chapters are student led drug prevention groups that are committed to raising awareness among their peers. Check out this link for more information! <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0yg8rOWAIRY#action=share</u> <u>http://addictionpreventioncoalition.org/GetInvolved/AddictionPreventionChapter.aspx</u>	Amy Newell	A201	
American Sign Language	All Students	None	The purpose of the American Sign Language (ASL) club is to provide an opportunity for HHS students to learn beginning ASL, to socialize using ASL, to promote an awareness of Deaf culture within the school and local communities, and explore career opportunities using ASL.	Frances Courson	B113	
Anime Club	All Students	None	This club will watch and discuss Anime and play Anime games.	David McCollum Jennifer McCollum	B317	
Anthology Club for Creative Writers	1st 25 students (who are serious about creative writing) to sign up	None	This club exists to provide writers a forum to share their works and receive feedback FROM PEERS in a grade-free atmosphere. The goal will be to produce an anthology at the end of the year to showcase some of the writing produced by club members.	Reed Lochamy	C228	
AP US History Alumni Club	Only students who have previously taken APUSH	None	This club is for students who have previously taken AP US History.	Richard Sturgeon	A204	

Drama Club	All students	\$15	To meet other people interested in performance and tech and do drama activities.	Nancy Malone	E186
Dance Club	All Students (up to 30 total)	\$10	For students interested in all forms of Dance! We will be attending 2 performances by the Alabama Ballet; 1 in the Fall and 1 in the Spring.	Alicia Wilbanks and Adrian Fitchpatrick	E185
Current Events Discussion Group	All Students	None	To promote awareness and understanding of the issues and challenges facing our Nation and the World through discussion without political agenda.	Hutchings	B-213
Cosmetology Club	Any students (up to 50 total) with a genuine interest in Cosmetology	None	The Cosmetology Club is for girls/boys interested in hair and makeup artistry for hobby or future career. This club is designed to help students understand the true art of cosmetology.	Natalie Coleman	Practice Gym
FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes) for girls	Current female athletes at HHS	None	Empowerment of student/athletes to impact and influence Hoover High School and the community for Jesus Christ. Members of this club must be CURRENT members of an HHS athletic team.	Jan Holcomb and Tiffany Frederick	C139
FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes) for boys	Male athletes who are on HHS athletic teams	None	To present to athletes and coaches the challenge & adventure of receiving Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. Members of this club must be CURRENT members of an HHS athletic team. <u>www.fca.org</u>	Chad Eads, Chris Metcalf,and Carson Haley	Lunchroom
Bucs Thinktank	25 students interested in STEM	None	To prepare contest entries to Science Technology Engineering Math contests such as Samsung's Solve for Tomorrow, UAB CORD, Verizon's App Challenge and other school, individual and small group opportunities.	Jill Westerlund Janet Ort	C133
Bow Hunting Club	First 60 that sign up	None	We will be watching bowhunting videos and sharing stories of our experiences. Hopefully we can learn about harvesting, hiding scent, safety and equipment from each other.	Jason Barton and Jeff Haley	B321
Bookaneers	All students	None	Love to read? Bookaneers is designed to promote and encourage reading, and it provides students with the opportunity to read independently during club time.	Jessica Arnold and Crystal Camp	The Library @ HHS
Armed Services Club	All students	None	The Armed Services Club promotes patriotism, citizenship, and respect. Those interested in learning about opportunities in all branches of the military from enlisted to officer are encouraged to join. We will connect with military representatives and participate in community service, fitness, and prepare for the ASVAB.	Cindy Bond	B112

		includes t- shirt	Limited enrollment due to space and activities. Priority given to current drama students. Participation would earn students Thespian points to help towards induction into the Thespian Society.		
Engineering Academy Student Leadership Council	For Engineering Academy Students only; Admission by application/accept ance (Link coming soon)	None	The Engineering Academy Student Leadership Council is an opportunity for EA students from all grade levels to take a new level of ownership in <u>their</u> academy. SLC members will provide suggestions and open, honest feedback to EA faculty about coursework, approaches, projects, and class material, and will advise the faculty on how to continue growing the EA community. A maximum of 5 representatives from each grade level will be accepted.	Mark Conner and D.J. Strickland	G112
Familiar Faces (for New Students)	All students	None	A club for students who have transferred to Hoover in the past 2 years and current students who would like to reach out to new students to help them feel welcome. Students will meet others students who share their lunch periods and will learn about how to become more involved at HHS.	Katie Smith	A107
Fitness Club	Limited to the first 24 students who sign up	None	Explore easy, fun ways to develop, incorporate and maintain healthy fitness habits in your everyday life. Local speakers and teachers will be invited to discuss and demonstrate simple, fun and effective ways to incorporate health, nutrition and fitness into your busy life.	Kim Cornutt Preston Sanford Kim Daniels	G304
Fiber Arts Club (formerly the Knitting Club)	By application and selection ONLY. See Mrs. Self for application. Limited to 20 students.	None	Do you like to knit or crochet? Would you like to learn or teach others? As we gain skills we will participate in service projects to be determined by members. Membership is limited to 20 members, by application. You must bring personal supplies and projects to each club meeting. Application can be accessed at: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1-t366EmVFrQspmHEdlkiiomOhiw-HgMFdJ5s9pZinrl/viewform?usp=send_form	Kellye Self	A202
FCCLA (Future Community & Career Leaders of America)	Open to students who are taking any of the Family & Consumer Science courses	\$10	To provide opportunities for self-improvement and group involvement through community service activities in Family and Consumer Science related areas.	Teddie Butcher, Virginia Young, Jennifer Paradise, Tiffany Lind	D147
French Club Le Cercle Francais	Students interested in promoting and	None	To allow those interested in the French language & culture the opportunity to enjoy French food, music, movies and culture and to promote French creatively. <u>http://bit.ly/1a8EAoC</u>	Laura Ann Pitts	D254

	learning about French				
Future Teachers Club	All students	\$15.00 to HHS	Thinking about becoming a teacher? Then Future Teachers Club is for you! Student members aspire to teach, learn about possible career options, practice educational activities and participate in community service projects. Be a learner today- leader tomorrow with Future Teachers Club. Affiliated with FTA-Future Teachers of Alabama and FCCLA- Future Community and Career Leaders of America.	Jennifer Paradise	A206
Green Team	Club is open to all students grades 912, but students must commit to helping outside of club times (probably after school) to either pick up plastic recycling and/or participate in another on-going environmental project.	None	The HHS Green Team will be a service club responsible for organizing plastic recycling from teachers' classrooms as well as researching and implementing a variety of environmental projects. Our long term goal is to establish Hoover High School as a National Wildlife Federation Green Flag School and possibly other national recognitions.	Melissa Hamley, Matt Walker, Anthony Hamley, and Janet Ort	D249
GSA (Gay Straight Alliance)	All students enrolled in Hoover High School who are open-minded, respectful to others, and willing to attend club meetings.	None	The Hoover GSA will serve as a safe haven and discussion-based group to deal with relevant and common issues. Members are encouraged to participate in activities and discussion questions that relate to both gay and straight youth. All students are guaranteed an understanding audience and free speech without derision.	John Kincaid, Amanda Slay	Choir Room
Habitat for Humanity	All students	\$15 (includes t-shirt)	To raise awareness of the problems of homelessness and inadequate affordable housing, advocate for the cause of providing affordable housing, raise money to help provide affordable housing, and to provide volunteer opportunities for Hoover High School students to participate in new home construction and repair.	Bill Woodruff,	Practice Gym

H.O.S.A. Health Occupations Students of America	All Health Science Academy Students or by permission of advisor (150 max)	\$20	To promote career opportunities in health care and to enhance the delivery of quality healthcare to all people through competitive events and community services. (\$20 fee includes National, State, & Hoover High School dues)	Salestia Robinson Tanya Kendrick Andrea Caprara Lorrie Hill	New Gym
Helping Anyone Complete Social Assimilation Comfortably	All students	\$10	Hacky Sack Club's goal is to help students develop new friendships and teamwork skills.	Nelson Grice	E165
Hoover Boys LAX Club	All males currently playing for Hoover Boys Lacrosse or interested in playing the sport.	None	This club is open to all guys currently playing for Hoover Boys Lacrosse or interested in playing the sport.	Llsa Rigsby Ben Rigsby	E164
Hoover Robotics Team	By application, http://bit.ly/hoover robotics2016	\$20	The Hoover Robotics Team aims to be a competitive presence at nearby Vex Robotics Tournaments. Members will work together as a group to build a robot from the ground up, physically and electronically.	Josh Rutsky	C239
Hoover Girls Club	Female Students	\$25	This is a girls' Christian club with a focus on missions! Once a month, we will do missions work together as a club such as helping well house and Birmingham dream center. We will enjoy investing in each other and others throughout the year.	Nicole Thompson and Amy Tew	C137
Hoover Broadcasting Club	Current or past Broadcasting Students	None	The purpose of the club is to give outside of the classroom opportunities to broadcasting students; past and present. Members will use related technologies to promote Hoover High School and our community through effective use of streaming video content on our designated website.	Jeff Lloyd	D150
Inclusion	Students interested in working with children with special needs (Limited to first	None	This club is designed to allow students who are interested in pursuing special education or a career involving people with special needs. Club members will meet and get to know the Special Ed students of Hoover. Please join!	Beth Pressley	A309/G104 or A309

	20 that sign up)				
Interact	Anyone who is civic minded and service oriented. (Limited to first 40 that sign up)	\$15	Love serving others? Then please join us! Our purpose is to develop leadership skills while helping others. Most meetings involve working on service projects for local organizations. (The club is sponsored by Hoover Rotary Club.) Only those truly interested in helping with hands and heart need join!	Lesa Gibson, Laine Lamborne	C231
International Food Club	Limited to first 30 that sign up	None	We learn about different foods from other countries. Members will be assigned a country/region and a club date (one assignment per semester) and they will bring a dish and a description of the dish on said day to share with everyone. Members must bring one legitimately prepared food item/dish of adequate quantity each semester.	Brad Grant Jennifer Williams	D346
IQRA	All students	None	To meet and greet new people while promoting awareness and understanding of Islam through a variety of school and community activities.	Rosato	G319
ISA (International Student Achievers)	Students interested in developing skills related to getting college and career ready (Limited to first 35 that sign up)	\$10	The purpose of this club is to help international students achieve success in high school and prepare for college or entering the workforce. Club members will learn about things such as GPA, ACT, and FASFA, will have community service opportunities, will hear guest speakers talk about college and careers, and may have the opportunity to participate in a college visit field trip.	Thea Ford, Jamie Rawls, Mollie Dunn	G206
Latin Club	Students interested in promoting and learning about Latin	None	To allow those interested in the Latin language & culture the opportunity to further their interest in a fun & casual environment.	Jennifer Joy	D155
Law Academy	Law Academy members ONLY	None	Law Officers and members plan events for the year.	Wes Cable	B211
Majorette Club (Buccateers)	Girls only 9th - 12th grade Limited to first 25 girls that sign up	None	This is a chance for girls interested in Majorettes to be a part of the new "Buccateers" club.	Debra Thibodeaux	G216

Meditation Club	All students (limiting club membership to 35 with right of first refusal to the 26 people who signed the club application last spring)	None	The purpose of the meditation club is to introduce students to the practice of meditation and provide a quiet environment for people to meditate. We will go through guided meditations together.	Dale Windle	A208
Metal Club	All students - Limited to the first 25 that sign up	None	The Metal Club is for students who are interested in the heavy metal genre of music. Students get together to play various heavy metal instruments and discuss music.	Todd Schaefer	B212
Mission to Feed	All students	None	The purpose of Mission to Feed will be to gather and organize materials to produce sack lunches for different shelter organizations around Birmingham.	Allison Grant	C337
Mu Alpha Theta	By application & academic requirement. <i>This</i> <i>club is for current</i> <i>Mu Alpha Theta</i> <i>members only.</i>	\$20 (includes pin)	To promote scholarship in and enjoyment and understanding of mathematics among high school students. <i>This club is for current Mu Alpha Theta members only.</i>	Laura Entrekin	B314
<i>Onomatopoeia</i> – The Hoover High School Comic Book Club	All students	\$20	Onomatopoeia's goal is to promote comic books as works of literary and visual art. This group will serve as symposium for fans of all forms of comic books. Each month the group will read and share titles and characters of interest.	Chad Cooley, Hannah Fulmer	D244
Outdoor Club	Must regularly hunt or fish (Limited to first 25 that sign up)	None	A club for HHS students who love hunting and fishing. Members will discuss hunting, fishing, and ways we can preserve wildlife and nature for future generations.	Kevin Butler	B318
Pep Club	All Students	\$10	This club will be used as a practice session for our Student Section at athletic events throughout the year. We will discuss ways to enhance school spirit, pep rally ideas, make noise makers and posters for games, and dues will go toward a Student Section T-shirt and art supplies.	Rebecca Grier Lexi Shrout Meri-Glenn Freeman	TBD
Podcast Club	Any students with a genuine interest	None	This club is for students who are interested in starting their own podcasts. Meetings will include general discussion about podcasts, specific ideas and tips related to	Hannah Zarzour	D153

	in starting their own podcast (Limited to first 25 that sign up)		starting and maintaining a podcast, and feedback from club members about the podcasts that other members produce throughout the year. Students must complete an application and be selected for membership in this club. Click <u>here</u> for the application (and instructions for submitting it).		
Quidditch	anyone who is interested in team sports and/or Harry Potter	None	Quidditch is a co-ed contact sport with a unique mix of elements from rugby, dodgeball, and tag. A quidditch team is made up of seven athletes who play with brooms between their legs at all times. While the game can appear chaotic to the casual observer, once familiar with the basic rules, quidditch is an exciting sport to watch and even more exciting to play.	Michael Brown	D350
Relay for Life	ONLY Students that were selected by application during Spring	\$10	Limited Membership : Application Only : The American Cancer Society Relay For Life movement is the world's largest and most impactful fundraising event to end cancer. Our focus at HHS will be to host a Relay Life Event in the Spring for the community of Hoover, along with other fundraising events throughout the year to help with this event. Applications are available in Mr. Hamlin's room, A209.	Rob Hamlin Merri Glenn Freeman	A209
Science Competitions (formerly Environmental Competitions & Science Olympiad)	All students interested in competing for scholarships & recognition for applying service & science	Approx \$20 to cover entrance fees - includes t- shirt	Team Cahaba Bucs: To prepare students for local, state, and national competitions that include (but not limited to) Envirobowl, Envirothon, Energy Bowl, research competitions, Green School Initiative, and Science Olympiad. Limited membership. We will also be involved in service projects connected to local issues. Many of these competitions have scholarship awards. We will be combining projects and passions with the Bucs Think Tank and Green Team.	Janet Ort	C-332there will be after school requirements
Sleight of Hand club	All Students	None	This is a club that is for students who want to learn or share sleight of hand techniques. This will focus primarily on card handling. No prior knowledge is necessary. All skill levels welcome.	Jerome Chapman	C131
SOZO Children's Club	Limited to the first 30 students who sign up	None	To raise awareness and fundraise for Sozo Children's Organization that supports 106 children in three homes and beyond in Uganda. They operate in Birmingham. Club members must be willing to volunteer at Sozo Trading Company and participate in a race/walk in the spring.	Beth Nowell, Sabrina Stanley	G213
Spanish Club / El club de español	Only open to students who are taking Spanish or who have taken Spanish. 30	\$25 (includes a t-shirt and Spanish Convention	To allow those interested in Spanish the opportunity to enjoy and promote the language, food, music, holidays, and other cultural elements of Spanish-speaking countries in a fun & casual environment as well as interact with and serve the local Hispanic community. Students will have the opportunity to compete at the Spanish Convention at the U of A. Some meetings will be held after school to prepare for	Lindy Bearden, Katie Belcher, Sydney White	D156

	members total	fee)	Spanish Convention. Only 30 students allowed!		
Support Your Troops	Juniors and Seniors ONLY - Limited to the first 25 that sign up	\$10	This club will adopt a platoon of soldiers, make and send things to them, and encourage support of our military.	Julie Carroll Carla Slovensky	E166
Team Up for St. Jude	All students willing to work for St. Jude's kids! (Must attend at least 1 fundraiser) (Open to all but <u>club days</u> limited to 20 members)	\$20	The purpose of Team UP is to raise money and awareness of the work of St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital in Memphis through fun events both in and outside of school.! Activities will include Team Up week, writing fundraising letters on behalf of St. Jude, bringing supplies and making items for patients and families. We will also work with the local Ronald McDonald House. This is a very active working clubmany opportunities for service!	Molly McCormick Erin James	B111
Undivided Club	All students (All interested must apply online)	None	Encouraging students to live their lives UNDIVIDED (Psalm 86:11). Through high- energy games, discussions and small groups, we help students look at life from an eternal perspective with the goal of reaching students for Christ. Click link for application: <u>http://goo.gl/forms/QqKMnAUgF5</u>	Marley Stephens, Susan Norris, Katherine Hart, Trent Hosmer	Competition Gym
UNICEF Club	All students Limited to first 30 that sign up	None	The club partners with the U.S. Fund for UNICEF to educate, advocate, and fund- raise – work that is vital to UNICEF's ability to save children's lives in more than 150 countries around the globe.	Rushano	A304
YEARBOOK STAFF	Yearbook students ONLY	yearbook students ONLY	This is for students already enrolled in 6th period yearbook. We will use this time to catch up on photos and page design. Do NOT sign up for this class unless you are already on the Caravel Staff.	Dana Haynes Buffy Tate	D347
Yoga	All students Limited to the first 13	none	To introduce basic yoga poses and to learn about the benefits of yoga	Leslee Green	A305
Young Democrats	All students	None	Service group affiliated with OTM Democrats	Brett Hawk Tyler Welch	C135
Young Republicans	All students	None	Provide a forum for enlightened political discussion. Engage and inspire the surrounding community to be active and to participate in local and national politics.	Deborah Wilson	B217

			When possible, donate to Republican causes, and support and exemplify traditionally conservative political values at a local and national level.					
	<u>The organizations listed below meet after school.</u> <u>Please email the sponsor for more information.</u>							
National Honor Society	Grades 11-12 by application & selection & academic req.	\$10	To create enthusiasm for scholarship; to stimulate a desire to render service; to promote worthy leadership; to encourage development of character in all HHS students.	Diane Baker Michael Fritschi, Kellett Dinsmore	D252			
Scholars Bowl Team	All students	None	To compete in head-to-head speed-based testing against area schools. Members must have a wide knowledge base and a willingness to put in extra study time for the "area" in which they are assigned. Students must try out for this organization.	Josh Rutsky	C239			
Spanish Honor Society	Three semester A's in Spanish	\$20 includes induction and graduation honor cord	To recognize students who have succeeded in Spanish by earning three semesters A's. Nomination and induction occur early to mid second semester	Jennifer McCollum	No Meetings D255 for info			
Thespian Society	Grades 9-12: inducted based on a point system of participation in theatre.	\$23	To promote theatre performance, design, and appreciation and to provide a social network for theatre artists. Our organization is an affiliation of The International Thespian Society and is the honor society for theatre.	Nancy Malone	Meet on an as needed basis to work on shows			
TNT (Teens Need Teens) Peer Helpers **Membership by application available in the spring.	Grades 9-12 students who pledge to be free from alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs. By application & selection ONLY	\$65 (includes t- shirt/ two training retreats	To serve as positive role models for peers and younger students, to provide awareness and education about violence prevention and the abuse of alcohol, tobacco and other drugs, and to organize and promote drug-free activities	Zach Butler	Not meeting on club days – meet Wednesday mornings before school in Media Center			