2017-18 CLUB DESCRIPTIONS

**ANIME CLUB:**
The Riverview High School Anime Club is a club that is aimed to appease to the student body that have an interest in "Anime" which is basically "Japanese Animation" - to be more specific, this interest goes beyond and the students have an interest in the Japanese media culture so to speak. Thus, the Anime Club is aimed to both give the students who are "Anime fans" a place to make connections and communicate with fellow students who share the same interest, as well as touch upon a few things of the Japanese Culture in some of the things we talk about, do as activities, or watch. Basically we're a club that allows people who share the same common interest in the field of "Anime" to communicate and forge friendships with one another. As stated before, we like to touch upon the Japanese Culture as stated before too, so as such the club can serve as educational in the discussion of the topic of the Japanese culture. Primarily - during club meetings as he discuss about topics and watch Japanese media.

**ARTSEAS CLUB - Riverview High School Visual Arts Club**
ArtSeas Club will be gathering twice a month in ArtRoom 301 on Mondays from 2-3pm. Next meeting will be next Monday, Sept. 19. We will be participating in fun art activities involving sculpture, ceramics, painting, and drawing for upcoming art fundraisers. ArtSeas members will also be collaborating with Shartiz's Design club and attend a field trip to Ringling School of Art & Design in Sarasota, FL in October. We will also collaborate with other RVHS clubs, to assist with artistic needs for their upcoming events.

**BEST BUDDIES**
Best Buddies is an organization designed to enhance the lives of people with intellectual disabilities by providing opportunities for one-to-one friendships and employment. In high school, Best Buddies operates as a student-run friendship club, which creates buddy pairs between students with and without disabilities. As a member of Best Buddies, all you have to do is be committed to being a good friend and giving others the opportunities to have a friend.

**BLUE CREW**
Spirit club that supports athletic events by creating posters around campus and attending games
**BOWLING CLUB**
The Bowling Club meets for two 12-week seasons during the school year. The club goes to Brandon Crossroads Bowling Center in East Tampa for its bowling sessions. The fall and winter seasons are open to any registered Riverview High School Student. The cost per session is $6 weekly. Bowlers are placed on three-person teams and compete against other Riverview High teams in the Shark League. Shoes and balls are provided free of charge for any student needing such equipment. We also have bus transportation from school, but bowlers must arrange a ride home. Bowlers also become members of the United States Bowling Congress and are eligible to participate in other events throughout the year. Sessions take place on Thursday’s right after school. Bowling begins approximately at 4pm and is required to finish by 5:20. Bowlers bowl three games each session and are given a handicap allowance in their competitions.

**CHESS CLUB**
Is open to all skill levels from pawn to queen. You just need to be prepared to show up for club meetings and play chess. There are dues for shirts and new equipment, usually $15.

**COMIC BOOK CLUB:**
The RVHS comic book club is a group dedicated to the appreciation of all things considered "nerdy." A safe haven where students can and engage in life long debates about superhero’s, book studies and discussions about an array of graphic novels, and even creating their own storylines and characters in a print medium. The comic book club is for anyone who loves comics or would just even like to get into them.

**DECA CLUB** (Distributive Education Clubs of America) & Association of Marketing Students
DECA focuses on four primary goals: Leadership, Civic Consciousness, Vocational Intelligence, and Professional Poise. DECA is an “intracurricular” club to our Marking program. Dues are $40.00

**ENVIRONMENTAL CLUB:**
Will collaborate with school staff to assist in the recycling efforts twice a week after school Will also participate in working in the Greenhouse on early release days as needed
Will organize and run Earth Day
Will participate / initiate any drives that are needed to better the community and/or environment.

**FBLA CLUB** (Future Business Leaders of America)
FBLA is premier nationally-recognized organization for students preparing for careers in business. It is the largest student business organization in the world with over a quarter of a million members. FBLA is a fun way to get involved in school activities and prepare for “real-world” professional experiences.

**Fellowship of Christian Athletes**
We are a Christian club in which all students, not just student athletes, are welcome to join. We will meet as allowed for fellowship, encouragement, and service. We will be an “official huddle” which is connected to FCA of America. The Bible says that Jesus went about doing good. We want to do the same as we have opportunity to do so.

**FFA CLUB**
Is a leadership organization for students who are in any Ag (Mechanics, Animal Science, & Communications) or Vet Assisting class. Club meets on JAWS Club days and one evening a month. Students who are FFA members are eligible to show plants and animals at the fairs, participate in career development events and attend leadership conferences.

**FRENCH HONOR SOCIETY CLUB**
Is a national organization for students in French 3 or above who excel in French. Students will be inducted into French Honor Society who have excellent grades overall and also in French. The purpose of the club is to promote and further their study of the French language. We also help with various service projects around the school.

**4H CLUB**
4H is for any student interested in having projects for the fairs or developing leadership and communication skills. It is open to students ages 8-18. Meetings are held the first and third Tuesday of the month from 6:30pm. Members are required to pay a $1.00 insurance fee and complete registration forms. Additional opportunities will be discussed at the meetings. There are no summer meetings.

**The Happy and Healthy Club**
Our Aim is to create, encourage and support healthy lifestyles through diet, physical activities, and mental health, while welcoming vegetarians, vegans and all other healthy diet choices.

**KEY CLUB**
Riverview High School's Key Club is sponsored by Kiwanis and is a student-led initiative which performs acts of community service. Members seek to better the community through a wide range of volunteer opportunities. The club also strives to develop leadership skills in high school
students by placing students in elected officer positions and allowing students to take ownership of the club's efforts and endeavors.

**MOCK TRIAL CLUB**
Can't get enough of "Law and Order"? Ever wonder what it's like to step into a real courtroom? Then Mock Trial Club is for you. Join Riverview's Mock Trial Club and learn how to present a case in courtroom before a judge and jury.

**Psychology Honors Society or Psi Chi** The Psychology Honor Society (PHS) is a prestigious club that works on group projects relating to the field of psychology. Together the members fundraise and collaborate in order to obtain the best experience possible. Requirements to join PHS include a weighted GPA of 3.5 or greater, and verification that the member has taken Psychology 1, 2 or AP (online included.)

**Quidditch Club**
Club that plays a Harry Potter inspired game that is similar to a combination of tag, dodgeball, and lacrosse

**R.G.S.A (Gay-Straight Alliance)**
Pangea is a group meant to foster awareness, promote education and provide a safe forum for discussion. The group is open to lesbian, gay, transgender, and straight students without judgment or a requirement to identify.

**SPEECH & DEBATE**
Speech and Debate is a competition team that requires regular practice, dedication and hard work. Speech events include individual or duet interpretations of humorous or dramatic literature. Debate events include an individual or a team of debaters working to convince a judge that his or her side of a resolution is more valid. All events help build confidence and develop impressive college and career skills.

**SOCCER CLUB**
The soccer club is an organization put together for those students who have an interest in the game of soccer. Support at games and making goodie bags for the players in all part of this organization. During club days, soccer videos are viewed, as well as information being distributed about the varsity teams.

**SWAT CLUB**
**Students Working Against Tobacco (SWAT) Club**

SWAT is Florida's statewide organization of empowered youth working towards a tobacco free future. Members will have the chance to be advocates and get involved within their communities. Members will also gain “real life” experiences through planning and executing tobacco prevention activities both on campus and off.

**THESPIAN CLUB** (International Thespian Honor Society)
MEMBERS ONLY – Inductions occur at the end of each school year, must have adequate participation points, GPA, and character references
Troupe #5894
On-call meetings
Honor society for actors, stage technicians and those who’s appreciation and support it