

# Rutland High School

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CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

2023-2024

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<b>Anime Club</b>	Gunter	<p>First meeting is August 8, 2023.</p> <p>A club where Anime Club is where we create our own anime. We draw characters, backgrounds, and items. We make the story line and character backgrounds! At the end you set up a portfolio that helps you get into college showing you can create and work with a team!</p>
<b>Band (The Pride of the Hurricane Marching Band)</b>  <b>The RHS Dance Team</b>	Bronson   York	<p>Students learn to play and continue to practice their skill of playing musical instruments. Students perform at various events, concerts, and competitions.</p> <p>Students perform choreographed dances and routines with various equipment to enhance and interpret the music of the marching band at various events and competitions.</p>
<b>Baseball</b>	Silas	<p>Baseball is a bat-and-ball game played between two teams of nine players each who take turns batting and fielding.</p>

<b>Basketball</b>	Gordon-Boys Moore-Girls	Basketball is a sport played by two teams of five players on a rectangular court. The objective is to shoot a ball through a hoop 18 inches in diameter and 10 feet high mounted to a backboard at each end.
<b>BETA Club</b>	Keerthi	A highly regarded honors/service club that works closely with the community. All of the service projects have a direct link to supporting education.
<b>Cheerleading – Basketball &amp; Football</b>	Bluford	Cheerleading ranges from yelling to intense physical activity for sports team motivation, audience entertainment or competition based upon organized routines. The routines usually range anywhere from one to three minutes, which may contain many components of tumbling, dance, jumps, cheers and stunting in order to direct spectators of events to cheer for sports teams at games or to participate in cheerleading competitions.

<b>Chorus</b>	Jenkins	The choir is an activity for all students who enjoy singing, features a variety of choral music including contemporary, traditional, spirituals, and hymnal gospel songs.
<b>Civic Engagement Club</b>	Hart and TBD	Involves “working to make a difference in the civic life of one’s community and developing the combination of knowledge, skills, values, and motivation to make that difference. It means promoting the quality of life in a community, through both political and non-political processes.”
<b>Cross Country</b>	Gordon (Boys & Girls)	Cross country running is a sport in which teams and individuals run a race on open-air courses over natural terrain. The course, typically 4–12 kilometers long, may include surfaces of grass, and earth, pass through woodlands and open country, and include hills, flat ground and sometimes gravel road. It is both an individual and a team sport; runners are judged by a points-scoring method.

<b>DECA</b>	Haugabrook	DECA prepares emerging leaders and entrepreneurs for careers in marketing, finance, hospitality and management in high schools and colleges around the globe.
<b>Envirothon</b>	J. Williams	A natural resource education program designed to challenge students in an interactive, outdoor competition where teams (4-6 students) are tested in Wildlife, Forestry, Aquatic Ecology, Soils and Land Use, and a current issue. Teams take written and hands-on tests outside and give presentations based on the chosen current issue. Students compete at the regional, state, and national level.
<b>FBLA</b>	TBD	Future Business Leaders of America - Preparing students for careers in business-related fields. Networking, community service opportunities, and meetings centered on preparing for district and state competition.

<b>FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes)</b>	Maddox	Fellowship of Christian Athletes - FCA focuses on serving local communities by equipping, empowering and encouraging individuals to make a difference for Christ through the powerful medium of athletics.
<b>FFA</b>	Reeves, Bartlett, Rozar	The premier youth organization preparing members for leadership and careers in the science, business, and technology of agriculture.
<b>Flag Football</b>	Scott	An outdoor sport using flags where performance endurance and exceptional player acuity is a must.

<b>Football</b>	Dr. Williams	Football is a dynamic sport that demands peak physical performance and exceptional mental acuity on the part of its players.
<b>Game Club</b>	Gunter	You can come and play games like D&D, Yugioh, Pokémon, etc.
<b>Golf</b>	English	A game played on a large open-air course, in which a small hard ball is struck with a club into a series of small holes in the ground, the object being to use the fewest possible strokes to complete the course.

<b>GSA</b>	Wood	GSA's are student-run organizations that unite LGBTQ+ and allied youth to build community and organize around issues impacting them in their schools and communities. GSA's are emerged vehicles for deep social change related to racial, gender, and educational justice.
<b>MJROTC Color Guard</b>	Allen, Strohsahl	The MJROTC Color Guard represents Rutland High School at many veteran's presentations, parades, athletic events, graduation, club inductions and other official events throughout the school year.
<b>MJROTC RAIDERS</b>	Allen, Strohsahl	The Raider team competes in obstacle style races across the state of Georgia and nationally. The team competes in very physically demanding events that test endurance, agility, explosiveness, and teamwork.

<b>MJROTC Rifle Team</b>	Allen, Strohsahl	An Olympic sport at the high school level that shoots the air rifles and competes across the state the of GA.
<b>Science Olympiad</b>	J. Williams	An American team competition in which students compete in 23 events pertaining to various fields of science, including earth science, biology, chemistry, physics, and engineering.
<b>Soccer</b>	Boys-TBD Girls-Brocato, Scott	An American team competition in which students compete in 23 events pertaining to various fields of science, including earth science, biology, chemistry, physics, and engineering.

<b>Softball</b>	Maddox, English	Softball is a bat-and-ball sport played between two teams of 10 female players. It is a direct descendant of baseball although there are some key differences: softballs are larger than baseballs, and the pitches are thrown underhand rather than overhand. Softball is played on a smaller diamond than in baseball.
<b>Spanish</b>	Wood	Begins <b>Wed. Aug. 16</b> right after 7th period ends Spanish Club is a student-led after school club that offers its members exposure to the Spanish-speaking world and its rich, diverse cultures. Club members will be exposed to music, movies, art, clothing, and possibly food! This is a social club that welcomes any student who wants to join... contrary to the name, <b>there is no need to know any Spanish here!</b> Club members should expect to learn, create, unwind, and make new friends & memories along the way.
<b>Special Olympics</b>	Maddox/Lyons	Special Olympics is a global movement of people creating a new world of inclusion and community, where every single person is accepted and welcomed, regardless of ability or disability. We are helping to make the world a better, healthier and more joyful place -- one athlete, one volunteer, one family member at a time.

<b>Student Council</b> <b>Freshman</b> <b>Sophomore</b> <b>Junior</b> <b>Senior</b>	Allen, Gunter	<p>The Student Government Association exists to improve the quality of student life at Rutland High School with class officers and representatives by grade level. The student council achieves this goal by bringing the concerns of the student body before the administration, by carrying out in-school services, and by participating in community services. The student body elects officers, senators, and homeroom representatives. Meetings are held and announced throughout the year.</p>
<b>Tennis</b>	Bluford	<p>A game in which two or four players strike a ball with rackets over a net stretched across a court. The usual form (originally called lawn tennis) is played with a felt-covered hollow rubber ball on a grass, clay, or artificial surface.</p>
<b>Track and Field</b>	Toomer (Boys & Girls)	<p>A sport which combines various athletic contests based on the skills of running, jumping, and throwing.</p>

<b>Volleyball</b>	Johnson	An in-door physical sport that uses hits a ball over the net. The ball is served to the opponent and if it lands on the opposing, side points are earned.
<b>Wrestling</b>	Strohsahl	Practice wrestling at two levels: varsity and junior varsity. Standards are set for weight classes for high school-level dual meets, multiple duals, and tournaments. Wrestlers can compete in 14 different weight classes, ranging from 106 lb. to the Heavyweight division of up to 285 lb.
<b>Yearbook</b>	Bell	The Yearbook gives students the opportunity to work together to capture the memories and events of the school year and provide their peers with a lasting memento that will bring cherished memories to life for years to come. Students work together to take pictures, write captions and learn the many processes that are required to publish the annual yearbook.