



2021-2022

Extracurricular Activities Guide



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Title of Extracurricular: Art Club

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Eligible Grade Levels: 7-12

Description of Extracurricular: Art Club will give students a space to express themselves in addition to working on portfolio pieces or pieces of interest. Additionally, the art club will contribute their skills by collaborating with other departments and creating special projects for school events.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: Students will have supervised instructional time encouraging them to freely explore and to continue to develop their artistic abilities at no cost to their families.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects:

- Work on personal pieces that could be used for a professional portfolio. These pieces will be featured in the art show at the end of the year.
- Build puppets to be featured in the Halloween parade.
- Support in painting sets for school productions.
- Support yearbook in creating and/or capturing pivotal moments as needed.
- Work on beautification projects such as painting murals, ceiling tiles or stools.
- Art show at the end of the year.
- Publication offered to be purchased digitally.

Schedule of Meetings:

- Wednesdays, HS RM 306, 3:00PM– 4:30PM



Title of Extracurricular: CCS Thespians

Name of Advisor: Timothy Iversen

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Eligible Grade Levels: 7-12

Description of Extracurricular: CCS Thespians offers students the opportunity to experience multiple aspects of theatre, from participating onstage in musicals to set-building, light-programming, and all aspects of theatre tech. Each year the Thespians produce a fall musical with students from grades 9-12 (occasionally inviting younger students, depending upon the show), a Jr. High Musical in January for students in grades 7 and 8, and the Hawkeye Revue. Occasionally, the group will produce a show in the spring as well.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: Our goal is not only to provide performance opportunities to students, but to offer education in lighting, sound, costume development, set design and construction, acting, theatre history, and theatrical management. It is also a great place to make friends and learn valuable interpersonal skills.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects:

- Produce Fall Musical
- Junior High Musical

Schedule of Meetings: Rehearsals determined by the schedules of members.

- **Location:** We generally rehearse in the auditorium, chorus room, and band room



Title of Extracurricular: College for Every Student (CFES) Elementary School

Name of Advisor:

Contact Information:

Eligible Grade Levels: K-6

Description of Extracurricular: Sixth grade students are selected as mentors to establish supportive, school-based relationships with mentees to help them become college and career ready. Mentors are positive role models who can provide advice and guidance to help mentees get ready for college and a job. This program is sponsored in part by CFES Brilliant Pathways.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: To provide mentoring opportunities that raise educational aspirations and academic performance for students in the elementary school.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects: Mentoring and School Community Service

Schedule of Meetings: Embedded throughout the school day.



Title of Extracurricular: College for Every Student (CFEs) Jr/Sr. High School

Name of Advisor: Shannon Merwin

Contact Information: smerwin@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: Juniors and seniors in good academic standing, show positive, role model behavior and who sign up at end of previous school year are eligible to be mentors. Mentees include 7th/8th grade students recommended by previous teachers, counselors and/or parents.

Description of Extracurricular: Juniors and Seniors mentor students in 7th and 8th grade. Throughout the school year mentors and mentees meet weekly. Events may include an initial kick-off field trip as well as an end of the year field trip, Easter bulb planting for Woodside Hall, Holiday exchange between mentors and mentees, journal books, an end of the year mentor conference, mentor training workshop, quarterly conferences for adviser throughout the school year, autism walk, initial interview process with mentors, etc.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: To provide mentoring opportunities that raise educational aspirations, academic performance and a positive connection for students in the junior/senior high school.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects: Mentoring and School Community Service

Proposed Associated Costs: This program is funded through grant money via The Clark Foundation.

Schedule of Meetings: Requirement is to meet bi-weekly; most meet weekly, some more than once a week

- **Location:** CFES doesn't have a set meeting place as each mentor/mentee pair meets as their schedules allow.



Title of Extracurricular: Elementary STEAM Club

Name of Advisor: David Peplinski

Contact Information: dpeplinski@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 5-6

Description of Extracurricular: The steam club is open to grades 5 and 6. The club focuses on hands-on science activities and is designed to be low stress fun environment. It is a great transition into technology club in the Jr/Sr High.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: The club's mission is to get kids to explore new areas of science in a fun, hands-on way.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects: Rockets, Crystals, Hot Air Balloons, egg drop, bridge building, liquid nitrogen demonstrations, Air pressure gliders, water rockets

Schedule of Meetings:

- **Location:** Wednesdays, Elementary School RM 106, 3:00PM - 4:00PM



Title of Extracurricular: Environthon Team

Name of Advisor: Mrs. Parr

Contact Information: aparr@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grades: 9-12

Description of Extracurricular: This club is an excellent opportunity to learn more about the environment and conservation. All members choose the direction of their research and help prepare for a culminating competition against other schools in the categories of wildlife, forestry, soils and land use, aquatics and current events. All high school students with an interest in science are welcome. Two five person teams will be chosen to compete in April. Other activities reflect interests of participants.

Schedule of meetings: Monday – usually the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month from 3:00 – 4:00 PM. More meetings are added as needed to prepare for competitions.

- **Location:** Room 104 and outdoors



Title of Extracurricular: Girls on the Run

Name of Advisor: April Green

Contact Information: agreen@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 3-5

Description of Extracurricular: Character Building Goal Setting Program

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: Students Work on Setting a Goal to Complete a 5k, while working on health goals, peer relationships, and body awareness.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects: The program culminates with a 5k at the Clark Sports Center. We also do a Community Service Project.

Proposed Associated Costs: There is a fee for the students, it's approximately \$100 for the program t-shirt, race t-shirt, 5K reward and registration.

Schedule of Meetings:

- **Date, Location, time:** It typically begins in March and runs through June. Days are to be determined by the individual coaches and the program, but it is twice a week (usually Mon and Wed), after school from 3-4:30pm.



Title of Extracurricular: High School Student Council

Name of Advisor: Katie Baldo and Mary Beth Murdock

Contact Information: kbaldo@cooperstowncs.org, mbmurdock@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 9-12

Description of Extracurricular: A student government body that consists of Student Council Officers (President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer), class representatives elected by each class (Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors) and members at large. This government body will collaborate to provide positive experiences for the high school student body. They will organize high school activities such as Homecoming and dances, fundraisers and community service projects. The Student Council will also serve as a voice for all High School students. Students will work together to set a positive example and promote a respectful and collaborative culture.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: Provide students with a voice, ownership of school experiences, and opportunities to positively impact their community.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects: Officer elections, Homecoming/Spirit week, new student orientation, winter semi-formal dance, Shoe Box for Seniors (homebound elderly in Otsego County), blood drive and other activities/projects proposed by students as approved.

Schedule of Meetings:

- Second Wednesday of the month, Room 203, lunch periods (5th or 6th)



Title of Extracurricular: History Day Club

Name of Advisor: Michelle Hitchcock and John Brotherton

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Eligible Grade Levels: 7-12

Description of Extracurricular: Students create quality projects with exemplary research, proper citations, application of the information to the annual National History Day theme in a well-designed final product. Using this research, they produce a paper, documentary, performance, website, or exhibit to compete at the local competition. Those who move to the regional competition must improve the project following the local competition, and those who advance to the state level must do the same. Should a student move to the national level, the expectation is for continual improvements with this competition.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: Students must have a minimum of ten annotated sources as part of their project to participate in the regional level competition. Likewise, they must be committed to the continual improvement (additional resources and improved projects) with each advancement to the next level of competition. Students will be expected to complete their annotated bibliographies using Noodletools utilizing both primary and secondary sources as well as producing a quality project which applies to the annual theme.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects: Compete in the local competition; selected students will participate in the regional competition with winners advancing to the state level and the national level as applicable.

Proposed Associated Costs: Registration costs and field trip costs to regional (place TBD) and state (SUCO at Oneonta) level competitions.

Schedule of Meetings:

- Tuesdays during lunch in room 109 from January to March.
- Mondays after school in the library from January to April



Title of Extracurricular: Identity Alliance

Name of Advisor: Rebecca Burk-Sciallo & Angela Eldred

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Eligible Grade Levels: 7-12

Description of Extracurricular: Our mission is to provide a more inclusive and celebratory environment for our LGBTQ+ community, allies, and all students. Every student deserves to be seen and celebrated for the unique that is their life.

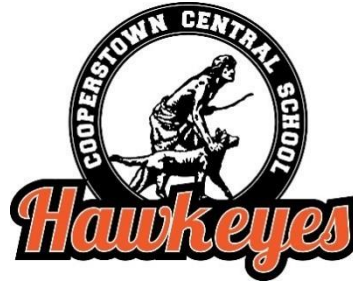
Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: To maintain a safe space for all students to express themselves and realize that their identities are valid and should be celebrated. Creating clear expectations that students have rights to take up space in our school community and beyond. To understand their voice and rights while being affirmed in their journey of identity. We will create space where students have a network of safe adults and peers, a place to find and secure needed resources and tools as they navigate their way.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects:

Day of Silence, Pride Week, Storytime at the Library, Gender Affirming Shopping Day, T-Shirt Design Contest

Schedule of Meetings:

- **Date, Location, time:** TBD, ***We change days of the week each year depending on the students' needs. We will determine our yearly schedule at our first meeting. Once that is done, we will submit to you.
- **Location:** Room 125, 3:00-4:00



Title of Extracurricular: Junior High Musical

Name of Advisor: Kerri Hogle

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Eligible Grade Levels: 7-8

Description of Extracurricular: Students who elect to be in the cast learn about acting, singing and dancing. Students who elect to be in the crew learn about costume decisions, set construction and decorating, lighting, sound, and stage management. (Students in the cast also learn about costuming and set construction).

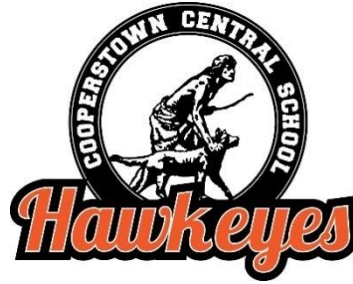
Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: The Junior High Musical gives 7th and 8th graders the chance to learn about and work on all aspects of producing and performing in a musical. The end product is two performances of a musical selected by the advisor on January 22 & January 23, 2022.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects:

- Junior High Musical (begins in late October)

Schedule of Meetings:

- **Date, Location, Time:** Auditions, rehearsals and performances take place in the Auditorium during afternoon and evening hours (schedules are determined on a weekly basis and strive to work around other student conflicts when possible) Rehearsals start in mid-November (after the fall musical is completed) and run through January, culminating with two performances of the show.



Title of Extracurricular: Junior High Student Government

Name of Advisor: Mrs. Parr

Contact Information: aparr@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 7-8

Description of Extracurricular: Civic minded students join together to promote school spirit, community connections and academic adventures. This club offers an opportunity to explore how the democratic process works while serving our community at large. We encourage participation in school activities, community service, the support of charities, and fostering a growth mindset. Student representatives strive to promote ethical and responsible behavior through actions and decisions. We are crew, not passengers.

Schedule of Meetings: Afterschool or during lunch usually the first week of the month. More meetings added as needed for event planning.

- **Location:** Room 104



Title of Extracurricular: Junior Jazz-Rock Ensemble

Name of Advisor: Mr. Daum

Contact Information: pdaum@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 6-8

Description of Extracurricular: The Junior Jazz-rock Ensemble is an extracurricular instrumental music group that focuses on introducing students to how to play various jazz and rock styles together. The instrumentation is varied, but not limited to concert band instruments plus piano, guitar, and bass guitar. At least one year of experience on an instrument is required.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular:

1. To familiarize all members with outstanding examples of various types of jazz and rock band music.
2. For all members to know their role in contributing to a jazz-rock performing ensemble.
3. For all members to get experience with how a jazz-rock ensemble rehearses and performs.
4. For all members to obtain the necessary skills needed to perform in a jazz-rock ensemble.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects:

1. Elementary December concert
2. Cabaret night - January
3. District-wide jazz concert - May
4. CCS Artshow at Cooperstown Village Library - May

Schedule of Meetings: Schedule of Meetings: One weekly meeting per week according to the weekday with the least conflicts among the members from 3-4 pm.

- **Location:** High School Band room



Title of Extracurricular: Kid Garden

Name of Advisor: Bella Anania

Contact Information: ianania@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: K-12

Description of Extracurricular: A garden Based Learning program which provides supplemental education in all areas of learning. Every class, K-12 is welcome to use the garden as an outdoor classroom in order to achieve these additional learning experiences.

Schedule of Meetings: Due to the nature of the Kid Garden, there are no regular meetings.



Title of Extracurricular: Leadership for Athletes

Name of Advisor: Monica Wolfe

Contact Information: mwolfe@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 10-12 Student-Athletes: Recommendations come from the varsity coaches and students to be followed by interviews.

Description of Extracurricular: To develop and strengthen positive leadership qualities fostering a community where students lead by example.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: Promote positive growth of leadership skills for student-athletes to make connections from school to community. Continue to utilize the Habitudes for Athletes Curriculum and programs developed by NYSPHSAA

Proposed Major Activities or Projects: Caroling at Otsego Manor, Student-Athlete Leadership Conference, Community Service Projects, assisting with Food Pantry, Soles to Share, Captains Club, American Heart Association Dodgeball and Volleyball Tournaments, Go Red for Women and 5K Color Run/Walk, Appreciation Breakfast, volunteer at PTA crayon carnival, Elementary School Friday Finale book talks/presentations, Concession at all home girl's basketball games, Habitudes for Athletes Curriculum: Book: "The Art of Leading Others and Changing the Culture"

Schedule of Meetings: Weekly for 10 weeks and then bi-weekly meetings as well as: community service project hours, girls basketball concession, leadership conference



Title of Extracurricular: Library Club/Battle of the Books

Name of Advisor: Michelle Hitchcock

Contact Information: mhitchcock@cooperstowncs.org or 607.547.4498 x2

Eligible Grade Levels: 7-12

Description of Extracurricular: The Library Club is open to students who love reading and the library. They discuss good books and help in the library and support the Battle of the Books events. The Battle of the Books is an annual competition where teams of four students read designated books and compete in a trivia competition for the house cup. Local winning teams (middle and high school) then compete in the regional level competition. A final competition against the northern region is held the same day as the regional event. All students are welcome to attend the field trips to the competition and to visit other libraries. They also hear author presentations. Members help the Friends of the Village Library of Cooperstown with their book collection days and book sales, and they support activities for the elementary school's annual PARP events.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: To encourage students to see the Battle of the Books as an academic activity; to promote reading to all students in grades K-12, and to develop life-long readers and library users. To showcase librarianship as a potential career.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects:

Meetings: The meetings are used to share good books and participate in various library and book-based activities.

Authors and Libraries: The club will work with the librarian to host author visits, either in-person or virtually. The club may visit a public, academic, or special library.

Collaborations: The group helps the Friends of the Village Library of Cooperstown with their book collection days and book sales. The group will help lead book discussions at the Village Library of Cooperstown and help promote reading during the annual PARP celebration at the elementary school.

Battle of the Books: Throughout the year, teams of four students read books to compete in the annual Battle of the Books competitions.

Proposed Associated Costs: Annual field trips to the Battle of the Books competition(s). Field trip to other libraries, and/or author visits will be in collaboration with the library and the support from the Friends of the Village Library of Cooperstown.

Schedule of Meetings: Meetings are the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month after school in the library and as needed. The group uses Google Classroom.



Title of Extracurricular: Literary Magazine (Litmag)

Name of Advisor: Chalya Pudlewski

Contact Information: cpudlewski@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 7-12 Students do not have to be members to submit.

Description of Extracurricular: The literary magazine is an opportunity for writers and artists in all genres to have their work published for the school community and beyond. Members and officers have access to guest authors and conferences, participate in contests, develop individual and group projects, go on field trips, and collaborate for speaking engagements about their work and to produce the annual litmag website.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: Students will hone their writing skills and artistic talents. We try to do at least one major project each year and 15-20 smaller contests in addition to whatever student-led initiatives we decide to undertake. We always want to increase our submissions and incentives to submit.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects: Sharon Springs Poetry Festival field trip 10/15, Scholastic Art and Writing Awards in the fall, RFK Speak Truth Video Contest or other spring project, editing and publishing the litmag, fiction workshop, and many more projects and contests. For a full list of what we did last year, please visit the litmag website. [2020-2021 Litmag](#)

Proposed Associated Costs: None unless students choose to submit to a contest with an entry fee. Students have typically paid their own submission fees, but PTA occasionally donates for special projects and FOMA furnishes a prize to the winning submission at the end of the year.

Schedule of Meetings:

- **Date, Location, Time:** We will meet in room 110 3:00-4:00PM on Tuesdays or Wednesdays 3:00 – 4:00 PM depending on the week to try to let as many kids participate as possible.



Title of Extracurricular: National Honor Society

Name of Advisor: Monica Wolfe

Contact Information: mwolfe@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 11-12th Grade

Those meeting the requirements of the NHS Cooperstown Chapter and selected by the NHS Faculty Committee.

Description of Extracurricular: Mission: The National Honor Society (NHS) is the nation's premier organization established to recognize outstanding high school students. More than just an honor roll, NHS serves to recognize those students who have demonstrated excellence in the areas of **Scholarship, Service, Leadership, and Character.**

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: Vision: To create enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote leadership, and to develop character in the students of Cooperstown Sr. High School.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects: Monthly meetings to plan our Community Service projects: kindness kits, Valentine's Day Carnation's for Every Student Recognition, Fall and Spring NHS Induction Ceremonies, annual NHS Dinner, organize each round of candidate interviews with administration. Student candidates become eligible during Grades 11 & 12.

Proposed Fundraisers: Fall Fruit Sale with the Music Department & Carnation Sales

Schedule of Meetings:

Date, Location, Time: Monthly meetings (or additional when needed) along with community service projects, NHS fall & spring inductions.

- 1st Monday of each month, Room 117, 3pm



Name of Extracurricular: Outward Bound
8th Grade Adirondack Odyssey Program
10th Grade Outward Bound Scholarships

Name of Advisor: Brad Smith

Contact Information: bsmith@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 8 and 10

Program Description: The Adirondack Odyssey and Outward-Bound scholarship programs are “challenge by choice” outdoor adventure programs offered to CCS students in conjunction with the Clark Sports Center Adventure Program. 8th and 10th grade students will attend program presentations in the auditorium, where materials will be presented, and questions will be answered regarding the programs. Students interested in challenging themselves physically and mentally in these programs must complete an application, which is provided at the presentation. Finalists that are chosen will then be scheduled for an interview with a group of teachers familiar with the programs. Students selected for the scholarships will then be contacted by the Clark Sports Center with information regarding a parent’s information meeting. This meeting will provide all the final paperwork and details of the trips. Students that are chosen for either of these programs will participate with students from other districts in the area served by the Clark Sports Center.

Schedule of Meetings: No Regular Meetings. Initial interest meeting will take place in January during a scheduled assembly

- Program Assemblies Scheduled for January
- 2 Week Application Process
- Finalist Interviews in March
- Announcements Made in Late April/Early May
- Limited numbers of scholarships are available each year (determined by the Clark Sports Center)
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Location:

- Adirondack Odyssey: 10 days canoeing and camping in the remote Adirondack State Park
- Outward Bound: 21 days of backpacking, canoeing, and rock climbing in Maine



Title of Extracurricular: Pit Orchestra/Band for the High School Musical

Name of Advisor: Mr. Daum

Contact Information: pdaum@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 9-12

Description of Extracurricular: The pit orchestra or pit band for the high school musical (depending on the instrumentation) is an extracurricular ensemble by director recommendation and is based on instrumental experience and the instrumental needs of the show. Selected students rehearse and perform the music that accompanies the singers on stage.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular:

1. For the members of the pit orchestra or band to learn how to accompany the actors on stage.
2. The members of the pit orchestra or band to acquire the skills needed to play their instruments at a near professional level.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects:

1. Thursday, November 11th, 7 pm - opening performance
2. Friday, November 12th, 7 pm - second performance
3. Saturday, November 13th, 7 pm - third performance
4. Sunday, November 14th, 2 pm - final performance

Schedule of Meetings:

- **Date, Location, time:** Rehearsals are generally one weekday per week for two hours at a time of least conflicts by the members, additional rehearsals TBA, Location - High School Bandroom



Title of Extracurricular: Quiz Team

Name of Advisor: Chalya Pudlewski

Contact Information: cpudlewski@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 9-12

Description of Extracurricular: The quiz team is an academic competition club. Players travel around the state throughout the year for National Academic Quiz Tournaments and others. We usually qualify for and attend nationals in Illinois in April with a strong showing.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: Students will develop their knowledge in all subjects. It is always our goal to do well in our competitions and qualify for the Small School National Championship Tournament.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects: Tournaments were virtual last year, and we did a lot more out of state tournaments because of that, but so far everything posted is in person, so our typical schedule would run about 1 tournament a month, all day on Saturdays. We do Ithaca Fall and Spring tournaments, the Geneva Invitational, two Catskill Area School Study Council tournaments that are not through NAQT, and usually one or two others in addition to nationals. We try to avoid bus travel to New York City and prefer upstate tournaments whenever possible as long as we qualify early. Some schools may not offer their tournaments this year. Last year they relaxed the qualification requirements. It depends on what is offered, player availability, how we do, and our budget.

Proposed Fundraisers: We do a Heidelberg bread fundraiser in the spring.

Schedule of Meetings:

- **Date, Location, time:** Fridays, HS Room 110, 3:00-4:00PM



Title of Extracurricular: Red Hot Ropers

Name of Advisor: Bella Anania & Monica Wolfe

Contact Information: ianania@cooperstowncs.org, mwolfe@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 3-6

Description of Extracurricular: Mission: Jumping rope helps develop coordination, agility, self-confidence, and creativity while providing lots of exercise and fun! Performance opportunities exist, but the main benefit remains the practice, learning and enjoyment.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular: We jump rope, learn new tricks, create routines and partner routines. We use equipment and do double dutch and various forms of long rope. We perform three times a year with the whole group: the first is an assembly at the elementary school to teach our own students about jumping rope. Then, we do two basketball halftime shows. One is at a High School Varsity Basketball game and another is at a college basketball game. In addition, selected 5th/6th grade Ropers go on a field trip to a nearby school to spend the day teaching their students jump rope tricks and putting on a show. That generally happens in late winter or early spring. This sharing program has been going on for over 15 years with many area schools.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects: Halftime Performances at High School Basketball game and College Basketball games & Field Trip to local schools to model and teach other students.

Schedule of Meetings:

- **Date, Location, time:** Monday and Wednesday, Elementary Gymnasium, 3:00-4:00 PM from November until February Break.



Title of Extracurricular: Students Against Destructive Decisions (SADD)

Name of Advisor: Monica Wolfe

Contact Information: mwolfe@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 7-12

Description of Extracurricular: Mission: SADD's mission is to empower young people to successfully confront the risks and pressures that challenge them throughout their daily lives. We accomplish this by creating, equipping, and sustaining a network of student-run chapters in schools and communities focused on peer-to-peer education. SADD fosters a sense of belonging and promotes resiliency, leadership, and advocacy skills so that young people make positive life decisions that will carry them throughout life.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular:

Vision: SADD envisions a world in which young people make positive decisions that advance their health and safety.

For student representatives to attend that local SADD conference and officers to attend the National SADD conference held in June and for the Cooperstown Chapter to represent Strides for Safety 5K every year.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects: SADD Jr. High Dance, Community Service Projects, 9-12th grade Assembly SADD Sponsored Speaker, SADD Conference

Schedule of Meetings:

- 2nd Monday of each month, Room 117, 3pm
- Annual SADD Conference held at BOCES



Title of Extracurricular: Senior Jazz Rock Ensemble

Name of Advisor: Timothy Iversen

Contact Information: tiversen@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 9-12

Description of Extracurricular: The Jazz Rock Ensemble is an instrumental group that focuses on jazz and popular music. The group is open to students in grades 9-12, with preference given to those who are in band and/or chorus.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular:

1. Provide students with an opportunity to perform jazz and pop music in a broad range of styles.
2. Perform in public at least 3 times this year.
3. Learning the basics of improvisation and harmony.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects: perform at least 3 times over the course of the school year. (Jazz Assembly – December; Cabaret Night – February; Jazz Concert – May)

Schedule of Meetings:

- **Date, Location, time:** Mutually agreeable meetings will be scheduled once a roster has been established. We will generally meet once a week, occasionally in smaller groups. Meetings will take place in either the band room or the auditorium.



Title of Extracurricular: Senior Jazz Rock Vocal
Name of Advisor: Kerri Hogle
Contact Information: khogle@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 9-12

Description of Extracurricular: The Jazz Rock Vocal Ensemble is a choral group that focuses on jazz and popular music, often a capella. The group is open to students in grades 9-12, with preference given to those who are in chorus.

Goals and Objectives for Extracurricular:

1. Provide students with an opportunity to sing jazz and pop music in an intimate choral setting.
2. Perform in public at least 3 times this year.

Proposed Major Activities or Projects: perform at least 3 times over the course of the school year. (Jazz Assembly – December; Cabaret Night – February; Jazz Concert – May)

Schedule of Meetings:

- **Date, Location, time:** Mutually agreeable meetings will be scheduled once a roster has been established. We will generally meet once a week. Meetings will take place in either the band room or the chorus room.



Title of Extracurricular: Technology Education Club

Name of Advisor: Brad Smith

Contact Info: bsmith@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 7-12

Description of Extracurricular: To provide students in grades 7-12 an opportunity to explore a variety of technological processes that are unable to be accomplished in existing classes.

Goals and Objectives: Tech Club provides students the ability to focus on a technological skill, process or area to develop greater depth of knowledge and skills than what is allowed in the classroom. Due to this, students are typically involved in a variety of activities each meeting.

Proposed Major Activities and Projects: During the year students typically focus on the following types of activities depending on their interests:

- Laser Cutting/Engraving
- 3D printing
- Vinyl sticker design and cutting
- Gaming systems
- LEGO robotic builds
- Tetrix robotics
- Balsa wood aircraft/glider design and builds
- Safety Lessons on tools and equipment
- Various woodworking projects
- Metal working safety: handling and cutting
- Oxygen/Acetylene Torches: safety, setup and operation
- Mig and Electric Arc Welding
- Metal working projects
- Small engine theory and repair
- Lab organization and maintenance

Schedule of Meetings: Wednesdays from 3:00-4:00

- **Location:** Tech Room 305 in the Jr/Sr High School



Title of Extracurricular: Yearbook

Name of Advisor: Mrs. Schallert

Contact Info: sschallert@cooperstowncs.org

Eligible Grade Levels: 10-12

Description of Extracurricular: The club works to collaboratively complete pages for the yearbook. We work from September to March to carefully curate the necessary materials and create visually stunning pages for our community to look back on. A great deal of the work is completed independently, with as much support provided as you need. Interested students should be self-motivated, able to learn to use the Jostens software (with advisor and peer assistance), positive, reliable, and comfortable approaching other students and adults to gather material (photographs, game scores, quotes, etc.) for assigned pages. You determine how much time you can offer the club and what aspects of yearbook production you are interested in. We need students with an eye for graphic design, photography, beautiful writing, and business savvy! See Mrs. Schallert for more information.

Schedule of Meetings: Tuesdays from 2:45-3:15 PM. Students are also able to meet by appointment with Mrs. Schallert during the school day for assistance with individual pages.

- **Location:** Mrs. Schallert's classroom HS RM 126