

# WMS CLUBS! WMS CLUBS!

Clubs will run from March 3 through May 26 (some start in April – watch the dates)  
Sign up information is on the back of this sheet!

**DRUMLINE**      Band Room      Mr. Thew      Advanced Mondays 3:05-4:15  
Beginner Tuesdays 3:05-4:15

In **Beginning Drumline** we build off of what we were working in *Stick Club* and apply it to a drumline! In **Advanced Drumline** we continue to build our skills. Both groups are high energy and will perform through the rest of the year! *For Advanced Drumline you should've taken Beginning Drumline or get permission from Mr. Thew. Advanced Drumline STARTS APRIL 2; Beginning Drumline STARTS APRIL 3;*

**CHESS CLUB**      B213      Mr. Allen      Tuesdays or Thursdays 3:05-4:15

Want to learn how to play Chess? Come hang out and learn how to play. Want to improve your chess skills? Come hang out and play against other students. **Mr. Allen will post meeting days.**

**Festival Orchestra**      Auditorium      Ms. Byham      Tuesdays 3:05-4:15

This is an *honors-level orchestra* open to WMS students who have been playing a string instrument for three or more years. Interested students should be comfortable playing all elementary scales in addition to their two-octave D & G scales. You should also be able to sight-read elementary-level music comfortably.

**Beginners/Doublers**      Band Room      Mr. Thew      Thursdays 3:05-4:15

This class is for anyone interested in learning a new band instrument for the first time or wants to learn a secondary instrument! Instruments offered are: Flute, Trumpet, Oboe, French Horn, Tuba, Clarinet, Trombone, Saxophone, Euphonium, and Percussion.

**Garden Club**      WMS Courtyard      Mr. Duffy      Thursdays 3:05-4:15

The courtyard garden is almost ready for planting! Come join us to plant seeds and take care of our plants. After that, we have some projects planned to make the garden even better for next year, including rebuilding some of our raised beds and continue our perennial herb garden. Once the hard work is done, we may have some time for nature walks and fishing! **BEGINS APRIL 13!**

**ANIME CLUB**      B150      Mr. Sfinx      Fridays 3:05-4:15

In Anime Club we will discuss, show and promote anime at WMS! We will view Japanese animations, view anime music videos, read manga and karaoke. If you're a fan of Studio Ghibli, Boku no Hero Academia or Dragon Ball Z, this is the club for you!

**Ukelele Club**      Chorus Room      Ms. Varsos      Fridays 3:30-4:15

Ready to take your strumming to the next level? Join us as we continue building our skill on everyone's favorite pint-sized instrument! We'll be learning the songs *YOU* want to learn, with new chords, new techniques, and new friends. Members of the Ukulele Club will be invited to perform at the WMS Spring Concert alongside the WMS Chorus! **NO MEETING ON MARCH 31<sup>st</sup>!**

**Colorguard**      Band Room      Mr. Thew      Fridays 3:05-4:15

Colorguard is an exciting fusion of dance, theater and athletic skill. We spin flags to all types of music to put on unique, spellbinding performances. Nor prior experience required! We'll learn the basics together!

See other side for registration information

Don't forget these continuing **FREE** opportunities:

**Learning Lab** — Mondays-Fridays 7:45-8:15am Mondays-Thursdays 3:05-4:15pm

Need help with homework? Want to talk about research topics? Need to do some research? Visit the library **BEFORE** school or **AFTER** school where there will be a teacher or instructional assistant to help you. LIBRARY LEARNING LAB is **FREE** for all students! Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday in the Library, Thursday afternoon in B201.

**WMS Pride Alliance** A204 Mr. Cochran Mondays 3:05-4:15

The **Pride Alliance** is our school's gay/straight alliance (GSA) supporting our WMS gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender community. All students are welcome to join whether you identify as part of that community or not. We just want to make our school safe and welcoming for everyone! Sometimes we make signs to decorate WMS, sometimes we hang out and make new friends at our **Pride Parties**. **FREE TO ALL STUDENTS!**

**It's easy to join a club! Fill out the info below and send in a one-time fee of \$50 to the Main Office.**

**This fee lets you join clubs and Spring Sports!**

**STUDENTS WHO ALREADY PAID FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS or CLUBS DO NOT HAVE TO PAY AGAIN!**

**Please note there is NO NURSE available after school and NO LATE BUS on FRIDAYS!**

**CLUB REGISTRATION INFORMATION – PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

**STUDENT** \_\_\_\_\_ **GRADE** \_\_\_\_\_ **Advisory Rm.** \_\_\_\_\_  
(first name) (last name)

**Pick-up Instructions:** Picked-up \_\_\_\_\_ Walks home \_\_\_\_\_ Late Bus \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT/CAREGIVER CONSENT** \_\_\_\_\_  
(print name) (signature)

**ADDRESS** \_\_\_\_\_ **PHONE** \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Contact Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student allergies/health concerns** \_\_\_\_\_

**Activity** \_\_\_\_\_ **Day** \_\_\_\_\_

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**If this is your child's first club this year, please enclose \$50 fee**

**DO NOT SEND CASH.** Send check or money order made out to *City of Watertown* to the WMS Main Office.

By signing above, I/We agree to forever RELEASE the City of Watertown, a municipal corporation of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the Public Schools of Watertown, the School Committee, and all their employees, officers, agents, board members, volunteers and any and all individuals and organizations assisting or participating in voluntary extracurricular activities of the City or Public Schools (the "Releasees") from any and all claims, actions, rights of action and causes of action, damages, costs, loss of services, expenses, compensation and attorneys' fees that may have arisen in the past, or may arise in the future, directly or indirectly, from known and unknown personal injuries to my child or property damage resulting from my child's participation in the said City and/or Public Schools' voluntary extracurricular activity which we may now or hereafter have as the parent(s) or caregiver(s) of said minor child and which said minor child has or hereafter may acquire, either before or after reaching majority. I/We also promise, to INDEMNIFY, REIMBURSE, DEFEND, and HOLD HARMLESS the Releasees against any and all legal claims and proceedings of any description that may have been asserted in the past, or may be asserted in the future, directly or indirectly, including damages, costs and attorneys' fees, arising from personal injuries to my child or property damage resulting from my child's participation in the Town and/or Public Schools of Watertown voluntary extracurricular activity or administration of first aid. I/We further affirm that I/we have read this Parental Consent, Release from Liability and Indemnity Agreement, and that I/we understand the contents of this Agreement. I/We understand that my child's participation in these programs is voluntary and that my child and I/we are free to choose not to participate in said programs. By signing this Agreement, I/we affirm that I/we have decided to allow my child to participate in the Town and/or Public Schools' extracurricular activity with full knowledge that the Releasees will not be liable to anyone for personal injuries and property damage my child or I/we may suffer in voluntary Town and/or Public Schools' extracurricular activity.