

## LPHS Clubs

\*More Information regarding clubs can be found on the LPHS webpage, under Activities/Clubs.

**Art Club:** Besides creating our own art, the Art Club will be visiting galleries and museums to explore works of art created by others. Our club is student led and pursues individual, school and community goals. We look forward to seeing you!

Sponsor: David Moore [dmoore@lewispalmer.org](mailto:dmoore@lewispalmer.org)

**Coffee with Christ:** Coffee with Christ/Christian Bible study to look at specific Biblical passages and how they apply to your life. Encourage one another in Christ through discussion and prayer. Coffee & Doughnuts provided.

Sponsor: Melissa Kavanaugh [mkavanaugh@lewispalmer.org](mailto:mkavanaugh@lewispalmer.org)

**CyberPatriot:** The mission of CyberPatriot is to train the next generation in the art of cyber security, defending against intrusive programs, security breaches and maintaining the overall security of the networks. Cyber Patriots compete in national competitions with up to 1300 teams in analyzing systems for security issues both internal and external. These students are the future security guardians of information generated and transmitted over the ever increasing network.

Sponsors: Seth Wells [swells2@lewispalmer.org](mailto:swells2@lewispalmer.org)

**DECA:** (Distributive Education Clubs of America) is an association of marketing students that encourages the development of business and leadership skills through academic conferences and competitions. Each competition includes a written test over business and marketing information, as well as two role-playing, problem solving events. Students are judged on the basis of their ability to develop and communicate sound, creative, and thorough solutions to the problem situations. In order to be in DECA, students must be enrolled in Marketing, Management & Entrepreneurship, or Personal Finance 1st Semester.

Sponsor: Mike Diamond [mdiamond@lewispalmer.org](mailto:mdiamond@lewispalmer.org) x

**Drama Club:** - Mr. Clark-throughout the year Drama Club is one big giant family that works together to put on the various theatrical productions the LP produces. Whether you are someone that likes being on stage telling stories with the lights shining down on you or if you like being the one that builds the sets or operates the light board. Drama Club is a great place to call home for your time here at Lewis-Palmer.

Sponsor: Jordan Clark [jclark@lewispalmer.org](mailto:jclark@lewispalmer.org)

**FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes):** This is a Christian based club that meets on Monday nights for a time to hang out and worship. This club also does outreach in the community to serve those less fortunate and spread the good news of the gospel. We show up to support our athletic teams as often as possible.

Sponsor: Brett Lester [blester@lewispalmer.org](mailto:blester@lewispalmer.org) & Bill Benton [bbenton@lewispalmer.org](mailto:bbenton@lewispalmer.org) x

**Forensics:** Forensics/Speech is designed to not only educate students in the basics of speech, theatre, and debate, but also to provide Lewis-Palmer High School with a competitive forensics team to compete in state and national events. Students will learn the ins and outs of debate (Public Forum and Lincoln Douglas) and speaking events (Original Oratory, Duo, Humorous, Dramatic, and Poetry Interpretation, and Extemporaneous Speaking). Throughout the course of the year, students will learn to enhance their critical thinking skills through analysis of current events, hone their research skills, develop effective, confident, public speaking skills, and appreciate the ethical considerations associated with persuasion.

Sponsor: Brian Hoff [bhoff@lewispalmer.org](mailto:bhoff@lewispalmer.org)

**Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA):** FBLA encourages the development of business and leadership skills through academic conferences and competitions. Most competitive events include a comprehensive written test over business information, while others require an oral presentation. FBLA is a fantastic opportunity for you to develop your critical thinking and problem solving skills. Any student with an interest in business may join FBLA.

Sponsor: Mike Diamond [mdiamond@lewispalmer.org](mailto:mdiamond@lewispalmer.org) x

**HOSA-** Future Health Professionals is a student run International Organization that provides a unique program of leadership development, motivation, and recognition exclusively for students who have interests in pursuing careers in health professions. HOSA is 100% health care! We meet on the 1st and 3rd Monday/Tuesday of each month (cohort dependent)

Sponsor: Monica Tupper [mtupper@lewispalmer.org](mailto:mtupper@lewispalmer.org) x

**Key Club:** We are a completely student-led community service organization sponsored by Monument Hill Kiwanis. Members participate in a variety of volunteer activities throughout the school year and summer..

For more information contact: Key Club Board: [keyclub.lewispalmerhs@gmail.com](mailto:keyclub.lewispalmerhs@gmail.com)

Sponsor: Carrie Coates [ccoates@lewispalmer.org](mailto:ccoates@lewispalmer.org)

**Knowledge Bowl:** Knowledge Bowl is an interdisciplinary, academic quiz bowl-like competition that offers an opportunity for students to develop and exercise their scholastic abilities. It challenges students on their knowledge and processing speed over a wide range of subjects such as math, social studies, literature, music, grammar, science, art, sports, and more. There are no fees or applications required to join. Knowledge bowl currently meets virtually to practice and competitions will be held once a month.

Sponsor: Lauren Bartholomew [lbartholomew@lewispalmer.org](mailto:lbartholomew@lewispalmer.org) x

**LINK Crew:** LINK is a high school transition program to welcome freshmen and make them feel comfortable throughout the first year of their high school experience. Built on the belief that students can help students succeed, the LINK Crew consists of members of the junior and senior class to serve as LINK Leaders. As positive role models, LINK Leaders are motivators who guide the freshmen to discover what it takes to be successful during the transition to high school. One of our goals at LPHS is to increase freshmen success, and the LINK Crew program helps us do that by providing the structure for freshmen to receive support and guidance from others who have been through the challenges that high school poses.

Sponsors: **Aaron Miller:** [amiller@lewispalmer.org](mailto:amiller@lewispalmer.org)

**Shannon Plechas** [splechas@lewispalmer.org](mailto:splechas@lewispalmer.org) x

**Ellie Rank** [erank@lewispalmer.org](mailto:erank@lewispalmer.org)

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**LPTV Summer Film School:** We are offering an opportunity for students to come in and participate in our first ever LPTV Summer Film School. This is a free club open to any Lewis-Palmer School District Student, grade 9 - 12. The program will provide blended learning instruction, which means that any of the work that students wish to do can be done outside of meeting days.

Sponsor: Brian Barkey: [bbarkey@lewispalmer.org](mailto:bbarkey@lewispalmer.org)

**Lumberjack Club:** Do you dream about cutting down trees? Do you like wearing flannel shirts and eating flapjacks? Do you sleep all night and school all day? Then you're a lumberjack and that's okay. Join us in the Lumberjack Club to fell the forest of morning hunger, make new friends, and possibly put a hair on your chin (should that be desired). Cost is \$5.00 per semester.

Sponsor: Tana Lucido: [tlucido@lewispalmer.org](mailto:tlucido@lewispalmer.org)

**National Honor Society:** National Honor Society is an organization designed to develop a spirit of community among academically motivated high school students. Members participate in activities designed to benefit their school and community.

The purpose of this organization is to create enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service and to promote leadership.

Sponsor: Michele Baxter: [mbaxter@lewispalmer.org](mailto:mbaxter@lewispalmer.org)

**P.L.A.N.T.** (a gardening club):

Sponsor: Steve Warmingham [swarmingham@lewispalmer.org](mailto:swarmingham@lewispalmer.org)

**Political Club** Carrie Coats [CCoates@lewispalmer.org](mailto:CCoates@lewispalmer.org)

### **Ranger Review News**

This is the online media source for Lewis-Palmer High School and the local community. This is a co-curricular club, so writers must be part of the Newspaper Production class. Visit [our online website](#) to read the news written by our student journalists.

Adviser: Carrie Hendrix [chendrix@lewispalmer.org](mailto:chendrix@lewispalmer.org)

**Recycle Club:** The Recycling club empties all the recycling bins in the school building. This club is open to all students in all grade levels. We are trying to save the planet one school building at a time.

Sponsor: Korrena De: [kde@lewispalmer.org](mailto:kde@lewispalmer.org)

**Rho Kappa:** Rho Kappa National Social Studies Honor Society is the only national organization for high school juniors and seniors that recognizes excellence in the field of Social Studies. Any accredited public or private high school can apply for a local chapter, through which individuals will be inducted into Rho Kappa Honor Society. A Rho Kappa chapter at our school provides national recognition for our outstanding students, and encourages an interest in, understanding of, and appreciation for the social studies.

Sponsor: Tana Lucido: [tlucido@lewispalmer.org](mailto:tlucido@lewispalmer.org)

**Robotics** (District club): The Palmer Ridge Bearbotics Team represents Lewis-Palmer School District #38 at the FIRST Robotics Competition (FRC) annually. FIRST stands for "For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology" and is a program that celebrates the innovation and ingenuity of students who like Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math. But it's more than just STEM subjects, it's business, manufacturing, community relations, project management, and leadership. Membership is open to any high school student in District 38.

Sponsor: Mike Hinkle (PRHS) [mhinkle@lewispalmer.org](mailto:mhinkle@lewispalmer.org)

**Rowdy Rangers:** Rowdy Rangers is a group that is designed around supporting Lewis-Palmer High School's extracurricular activities. It is open to anybody who would like to join and there are no fees, just come to one of our meetings. We have one rule: Be Rowdy!

Sponsor: Andy Vrieze [avrieze@lewispalmer.org](mailto:avrieze@lewispalmer.org)

**Science Olympiad:** Students compete in various scientific and engineering principles on a regional, state and national level.

Sponsors: Michele Baxter: [mbaxter@lewispalmer.org](mailto:mbaxter@lewispalmer.org)

Deb Thompson: [dthompson1@lewispalmer.org](mailto:dthompson1@lewispalmer.org)

**Snacks for Survivors:**

Sponsor: Monica Tupper [mtupper@lewispalmer.org](mailto:mtupper@lewispalmer.org) Not current due to COVID

**Student Council:** Student Council facilitates "Student Life" at Lewis-Palmer High School. We organize everything from dress-up days and school dances to all of the philanthropic endeavors.

This is a class which meets on Orange days during 3rd period. Students must be elected/chosen to be a member of Student Council; elections are held in March. Once elected/selected, students' schedules will be changed to accommodate the class being added to their schedules for the following school year.

Sponsor: Carrie Coates [ccoates@lewispalmer.org](mailto:ccoates@lewispalmer.org)

**Student Prayer Group:** Sponsor: Deb Morgan: [dmorgan@lewispalmer.org](mailto:dmorgan@lewispalmer.org)

**Table Top Games:** This club plays tabletop games and cards, with snacks! We are a fun, relaxed group.

Sponsor: Kim Whitacre [kwhitacre@lewispalmer.org](mailto:kwhitacre@lewispalmer.org) & Caitlin Steel [csteel@lewispalmer.org](mailto:csteel@lewispalmer.org) x

**United Countries:** United Countries Club is for Foreign Exchange students and those that want to hang out with them. We try to help the foreign students acclimate to American culture by immersing them in American activities during the first semester and learning about their unique cultures during the second semester.

Sponsor: Tana Lucido : [tlucido@lewispalmer.org](mailto:tlucido@lewispalmer.org)

**Westwind Yearbook**

The Westwind is the official yearbook of Lewis-Palmer High School. This is a co-curricular club, so staffers must be part of the Yearbook Production class.

Adviser: Caitlin Steel [csteel@lewispalmer.org](mailto:csteel@lewispalmer.org)

**Women Interested in Science and Engineering (WISE):** WISE is open to all female students interested in science and engineering. We discuss trends in science, engineering and math. Most activities and topics are geared to women and students pick something science related to discuss, present or research. We take at least one STEM field trip per semester and have a guest speaker come in as often as possible.

Sponsors:

Deb Thompson: [dthompson1@lewispalmer.org](mailto:dthompson1@lewispalmer.org)

Michele Baxter: [mbaxter@lewispalmer.org](mailto:mbaxter@lewispalmer.org)

Clubs that are not currently active or have no sponsor:

**Dark Dungeons (Dungeons & Dragons)**

Sponsor: This is a club for Dungeons and Dragons enthusiasts to get together and play. Don't worry if you do not know how to play, we will teach you.

Sponsor: Ken LeSage [klesage@lewispalmer.org](mailto:klesage@lewispalmer.org)

**German Club:** The LPHS German Club is a student-led club that meets to speak German and plan German culture activities throughout the year.

Sponsor: TBD

**RAD** (Real Alternative to Drinking and Drugs): RAD events are put on by students, for students, and are a way for high school students to have fun on Friday nights. By offering an alternative to parties, RAD keeps students safe, while still providing them with the social events they enjoy.

Sponsor: TBD

**Sources of Strength:** We believe that many strengths are more powerful than one, and our united goal is to activate and mobilize these strengths in ways that positively change individuals and communities.

Sponsor: Carrie Ellis: [cellis@lewispalmer.org](mailto:cellis@lewispalmer.org) Next year