

FALL, 2019 LUNCH CLUBS

Monday

Out To Lunch – Fieber and Hochstin
Spanish Club – Rodriguez
Digital Photography – McDonald
Poker – Mickey Steiner
Math at Lunch – Caiola

Tuesday

Grub Club – Lapin
Sports Debate – Curry
Lunch and a Movie – Barbaro
Sketches and Drawings – Gutowski
Lunch While You Media Literacy – Siegel
Fun With Food – Stolzenberg
Kings and Queens of Winston (Card Game Club) – Shore

Thursday

Ladies Who Lunch – O'Shea and Crile
Debate Club – Taubel
Korean Club – Choi
Lunch n' Life Skills – Baharastani
Friendship Bracelet Club – Exposito

Friday

Ark Club – Bonomo
Karaoke Klub- Newman and Yochelson
Mario Kart Club – Gallo
Hebrew Club – Yermish
GLOW – Reel and Williams

Every Day (except Wednesday)

Homework Helpers – Simon, Kaplan and Familetti

LUNCH CLUB DESCRIPTIONS

(the meeting time for all lunch clubs is 11:30am to 12:12pm)

MONDAYS

Spanish Club

Ms. Rodriguez

¿Alguna vez escuchaste una conversación en español y te preguntaste qué decían? Oh, sorry that was: Have you ever heard a conversation happening in Spanish and wondered just what they were saying? Do you know "un poco" Spanish but need to brush up? Then this lunch club is perfect for you! Join Ms. Rodriguez to engage and learn the conversational skills, basic grammar, and pronunciation in the Spanish language through games and hands-on activities!

Homework Helpers

This club gives students the chance to work on homework during the school day in a supervised environment. Students can receive hands-on support from a Focus teacher, collaborate with classmates, clarify assignments, and get help *before* they leave school, all while fostering their time management and self-advocacy skills. This club is particularly helpful for students who cannot attend study hall due to other after-school commitments.

Math At Lunch

Ms. Caiola

If you like math or just need some extra help with math, this is the club for you. Come to work on your own problems or solve fun math puzzles and such.

Out To Lunch

Ms. Fieber and Ms. Hochstin

Out to Lunch Club is designed to help students become more acquainted with the various lunch spots in the Winston Prep vicinity. Students will work together to select a lunch spot, navigate the neighborhood, and manage their money. This lunch group also provides an opportunity for some of our younger students to gain more independence and familiarity with the local spots under teacher supervision.

Play Poker Like The Pros

Mr. Steiner

For any and all students interested in learning the ins and outs of one of the world's most popular and fascinating games: poker. This club will cover the basic rules, gameplay, and structure of the game. Much of the actual learning will happen through the playing of the game--and as a group, analyzing the merits of raising, folding, bluffing, etc. in any given situation. No money will be bet, but there will be prizes! Everyone is welcome, regardless of skill level or experience. Poker is great for anyone who loves games and strategy. It's also a great way to enhance critical thinking skills in a social and competitive, yet relaxed atmosphere. Different poker variants will be covered but we will focus mostly on Texas Hold 'Em.

Digital Photography

Ms. McDonald

We all take pictures. But do we ever stop to think about our picture taking? Why do we take pictures--what are we saying with our selfies--why do we choose the pictures we put up on Instagram? In Digital Photography we will begin to explore the reason the photograph is such a powerful storytelling tool while learning the fundamentals (focus, angle, lighting, composition, framing, etc.) of picture taking. Students will practice photographic skills by going on building and neighborhood photo shoots as part of each class session. Additionally, through class discussion, students will become familiar with the use of the "language of photography" to constructively critique their work. *Students should bring their own cameras to class.*

TUESDAYS

Grub Club

Ms. Lapin

Play your way through lunch with fun group games. Students will work on taking turns, following directions, and sportsmanship while playing a selection of card and board games.

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Sports Debate

Mr. Curry

This club is for sports fans of all ages who want a place to talk about their favorite teams, learn more, and connect with other sports lovers! In this club, you will have the chance to show off all your sports knowledge. We will look at and discuss all the hot topics in the world of sports. Be prepared to listen and explain your point. You may just change your friend's mind about who's the greatest athlete.

Lunch and a Movie

Ms. Barbaro

This movie club is centered around watching both classic and modern day quality films from all genres. Following each screening there will be an open discussion that will center around story symbolism, cinematography and artistic presentation. Grab your lunch and head to the movies!

Kings and Queens of Winston (Card Game Club)

Ms. Shore

Calling all card game fanatics! Slapjack! Crazy Eights! Gin rummy! War! Poker! Go-fish! Join us on Thursdays at lunch time to play these games and more in good company. No skill required. Students will have the opportunity to share their favorite games and learn new ones.

Fun With Food

Ms Stolzenberg

Do you remember when your parents told you that you weren't allowed to play with your food? In this club, playing with food is encouraged! String beans transform into paintbrushes and hummus becomes your paint. Not only will we create works of art with our food, but we will also learn about and experiment with various kinds of food. Ever heard of a jicama stick or tried halloumi cheese? Join us for this lunch club and become healthier, more sophisticated eater, all while having great fun.

Sketches and Drawings

Ms. Gutowski

Sketches and Drawings is your chance to experiment as an artist. At each meeting, we'll spend a few minutes learning about a new artist or style of drawing. Manga, famous illustrators, Picasso – whatever! There will be plenty of time for you to draw what you want – it's your choice how you incorporate the challenge with your own style. Of course, showing off your work is a must!

Lunch While You Media Literacy

Ms. Siegel

Enjoy your lunch while completing fun media literacy activities. This will include analyzing poster and political advertisements, commercials, television and movie clips, and social media posts.

THURSDAYS

Debate Club

Ms. Taubel

Students will learn the basic debate format, helpful tools for crafting arguments, and critical feedback on building arguments. Through this club, students will work on writing skills, as well as, public speaking and socialization. Come ready to argue!

Korean Club

Ms. Choi

Korean food and Kpop (Korean music) are becoming popular in the United States. Students will learn how to speak and write this interesting language while also learning about the Korean culture, trying Korean cuisines, and listening to Korean music.

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Ladies Who Lunch

Ms. Crile and Ms. O'Shea

This lunch club provides our female students an opportunity to develop and foster friendships with one another. Middle and high school ladies will be encouraged to seek advice from one another, while laughing, de-stressing, and furthering female bonds.

Friendship Bracelet Club

Ms. Exposito

Come learn how to make friendship bracelets, using stitch patterns such as The Braid, Candy Stripe and Chevron. You can make a colorful bracelet for yourself or give as gifts to loved ones.

Life n' Skills Club

Ms. Baharastani

This club will provide students with the opportunity to learn and practice important life skills including budgeting, using public transportation, interviewing, email writing and navigating technology/social media. The overall goal is to increase students' independence, confidence and efficacy when practicing various life skills in school, at home, and in their communities. This group will also foster growth in social pragmatics as students will be interacting with one another as they apply learned skills.

FRIDAYS

GLOW (Gay, Lesbian, or Whatever)

Ms. Reel and Ms. Williams

GLOW is all about expressing our whole selves, building a community of kindness, and using our voices to create a more just world. The club will provide opportunities for safe socialization, support, and advocacy, for LGBTQI+ students and their allies at Winston. All are welcome!

The Ark Club

Ms. Bonomo

All animals and humans are welcome on the ark. Dogs, cats, elephants, wolves, ravens, hamsters, ferrets- we can't get enough of them. Watch and discuss videos about the fascinating lives, minds, and habits of animals that you vote to find out about. Pick your spirit animals and draw and paint them. We'll also see how humans are helping to conserve and rescue animals from endangered species. The club will follow news about the baby elephants, rhino, and giraffe it raised money to foster and plan some more activities to help animals.

Mario Kart Lunch Club

Mr. Gallo

This lunch club provides students with an opportunity to participate in a competition ladder of Mario Kart races. Participants will be encouraged to foster existing friendships and develop new ones while participating in healthy competitions, and develop social skills.

Karaoke Klub

Ms. Newman and Ms. Yochelson

Some of us were born to sing. So why deprive the world of your musical talents? Channel your inner diva and treat yo'self to a Fun Friday karaoke bash. We'll bring the background music, you provide the vocals. (Not ready to get your Gaga on? Not to worry! Come be a part of our friendly studio audience.) Come for the free concerts, stay for the mic drops. The Karaoke Klub -- coming soon to a classroom near you!

Hebrew Club

Ms. Yermish

Shalom! Did you know this word has three different meanings? Come discover modern conversational Hebrew through games, music and other fun activities. We will also cover its sounds, its unique alphabet, and much more (yes, it's written backwards!). All levels and all backgrounds are welcome to join and explore a new language with Ms. Yermish, a born and raised Israeli teacher.

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