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Clubs and Organizations at Marian High School

1. ACTS: A Chance to Serve

Members are lectors, servers, ushers, Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist and the student Leadership Team. Their goal is to increase Catholic identity and to serve in Campus Ministry.

*Moderator is Mrs. Carol Miller

2. Regina Caeli: Girls Vocation Group

They work to promote vocations and good decision making.

*Moderators are Mrs. Carol Miller, Sr. Mary Margaret OSF and Sr. Maria Gemma OSF

3. Right to Life

This very vibrant organization meets regularly to pray for and to promote life at all stages.

*Moderators are Mr. Tom Dlugosz and Miss Mary Ann Hinora

4. Ambassadors/Student Leaders

The members of this group are serving as your greeters and tour guides during Open House. They also love to have 7th and 8th Grade visitors "shadow" them during the school day.

*Moderator is Mrs. Mary Kay Dance

5. Art Club

This group promotes the Visual Arts through community service,

fundraising, field trips, a Fine Arts Festival in the spring.

*Moderator is Mrs. Kitty Guntz

6. Bowling League

The group promotes exercise and healthy competition while bowling at Regal Lanes in Mishawaka during the winter months.

*Moderator is Mr. Tom Dlugosz

7. Dance, Dance, Revolution

The group promotes exercise using music and movement.

*Moderator is Mr. Ron Grosz

8. Drama and International Thespian Society

This group is made up of the cast and crew of the fall play and the spring musical. It includes auditions, rehearsals, special activities and competitions.

*Moderator is Mrs. Ashley Bennett

9. French Club

The club promotes the French language through field trips, dinners, and *Mardi Gras* celebration.

*Moderator is Mrs. Marie Rose McKenna

10. German Club

Projects include bratwurst sandwich sale, field trips, holiday parties, and t-shirt design.

*Moderator is Frau Cunniff

11. Intramurals

Teams are assembled in basketball and play on Sunday evenings. Could intramural volleyball be added in the future?

*Moderator is Mr. Michael Davidson

12. Jr Statesmen

The group promotes interest in government and global issues.

*Moderator is Mr. Ben Tricker

13. Junior Civitan

This organization emphasizes community service. A certain number of service hours are required each month.

*Moderator is Mrs. Linda Larson

14. Latin Club

The group promotes interest in Latin culture and the Classics.

*Moderator is Mr. Tim McCauley

15. Liturgical Choir

This large group enlivens all school liturgies with their music.

*Moderator is Mrs. Jeanette Dripps

16. Mock Trial

The members role play courtroom situations and compete at local, state and national levels.

*Moderator is Mr. Ben Tricker

17. National Honor Society

Members are selected based on scholarship, leadership, character and service. This club provides the tutors for the school's after school tutoring program.

*Moderator is Mr. Mike Piechnik

18. Newspaper

The *Lance* is a student news magazine that is published quarterly.

It also appears online.

*Moderator is Ms. Deb Conn

19. Pep Club

This group promotes school spirit by designing t-shirts and planning pep rallies.

*Moderator is Ms. Kelly Deckelman

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20. Quiz Bowl

The team competes against area schools in the St. Joe Valley League. The goal is to earn a place in the state tournament.

*Moderators are Mr. Ken Andrzejewski and Ms. Deb Conn

21. SADD: Students Against Destructive Decisions

The goal of this large group is to be proactive on potentially destructive issues in the lives of teenagers.

*Moderator is Mrs. Deb Ketcham

22. Science Club

This group includes the Science Olympiad and Junior Academy of Science competitors.

*Moderator is Mr. Ken Andrzejewski

23. Ski Club

The members travel to Swiss Valley in Jones, Michigan by bus after school when the weather and conditions are favorable for skiing and snowboarding.

*Moderator is Mr. Ben Tricker

24. Spanish Club

This club promotes the Spanish language through field trips, dinners, movies and holiday fiestas, as well as community service.

*Moderator is Ms. Maria Ruvalcaba

25. Speech and Debate

This new club is for those who are interested in becoming critical thinkers and effective communicators. They belong to the Forensics League and participate in competitions throughout northern Indiana.

*Moderator is Mr. Jay Dunlap

26. Student Council

Student government promotes leadership, community service and involvement in school activities.

The group includes the all school officers, the officers of each one of the four classes and representatives from the homerooms.

*Moderator is Mrs. Erin Pierce

27. Yearbook

The *Madrigal* is produced by this small group of students.

They supply the creative ideas and themes, as well as the photographs, captions, headlines, text and layout for the entire yearbook.

*Moderator is Ms. Deb Conn

31. Mole Club

It not about the creatures that dig tunnels in lawns. It is not just about the amount of pure substance containing the same number of chemical units as there are atoms in exactly 12 grams of carbon-12 (i.e., 6.023×10^{23}). It is about developing interest in and careers in Science.

*Moderator is Dr. Doug Sisk

32. Photography Club

A group for creative students who are interested in photography and using the updated darkroom whether they are enrolled in the class or not.

*Moderator is Mrs. Gina Robinson

33. Tech Club

This club is for students who are interested in computers and technology whether they are enrolled in the class or not. They explore ways to use technology to benefit others.

*Moderator is Mr. Tim Barwick

Newly formed clubs initiated by students:

28. Creative Writing

This group is for those students who love reading and writing. They meet regularly to perfect their skills and to share their gifts and talents with others.

*Moderator is Ms. Micah Niespodziany

29. Dance Club

This group meets weekly to learn and to practice ballroom, swing and salsa dancing.

*Moderator is Mrs. Annie Ganser

30. Environmental Club

Members of this group have developed and refined Marian's recycling program and continue to increase awareness and action on a variety of environmental concerns and issues.

*Moderator is Mr. Mark Kirzeder

Your ideas for new clubs at Marian High School are welcome!

