

**Saint Margaret School**  
Middle School Club  
Application/Permission Slip

Directions: Please fill-in all boxes below prior to submitting the form to the club sponsor. Incomplete forms will be returned for completion.

Student Name:

Grade & Homeroom:

Fill-in the boxes of the club you are interested in joining for this school year.

Club:

Meeting Day:

Meeting Time:

Sponsor(s):

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Guidelines

The applications will be accepted, by the sponsoring moderator, on a first-come basis. Other special instructions are listed under the club information description. The same rules and regulations that govern the normal school day apply to these school sponsored activities. Students are expected to conduct themselves in a courteous and responsible manner at all times.

Student Signature:

Parent's Signature:

## ST. MARGARET SCHOOL CLUBS 2018-2019

**Club:** **The Rosary Makers**  
**Purpose:** To make rosaries as an outreach project  
**Meeting Day:** One Friday a month  
**Meeting Time:** 2:45-3:45 PM  
**Student #:** 12  
**Requirements:** None  
**Sponsor:** Mrs. Bell

**Club:** **School Newspaper**  
**Purpose:** To publish a school newspaper three times a year  
**Meeting Day:** Tuesday  
**Meeting Time:** 3-4PM  
**Student #:** 20  
**Requirements:** Students in Newspaper Club must maintain a minimum "G" in all "Special" classes and a "C" average in all other classes.  
**Sponsor:** Mrs. Komondor, Mr. Stapleton, Mrs. Ray

**Club:** **Creative Arts**  
**Purpose:** To give students the opportunity to experience a wide range of creative activities and expressions including drama, art/dance movement and music. The club will have ONLY a Spring production this year. The students enjoy all aspects of putting on a show from acting, to stage crew, to the creative team that makes the sets and costumes. The performances are truly their vision and hard work.  
**Meeting Day:** Thursday  
**Meeting Time:** 3-4PM  
**Student #:** varies  
**Requirements:** Students should have a willingness to explore all types of creative art. For performances, students might have lines and songs to memorize. Participants may be required to purchase some supplies.  
**Sponsor:** Mrs. Gerstmyer, Mrs. Toy, Mrs. Ballweber

**Club:** **Chorus/Music Ministry**  
**Purpose:** Students will provide music support during middle school and some entire school Masses and Eucharistic Services. Students help to select hymns for the weekly masses and love to sing in harmonies. This group of students is very enthusiastic about their faith, their music and the mass. Please join us in song!  
**Meeting Day:** Tuesday  
**Meeting Time:** Period 1  
**Student #:** Open  
**Requirements:** Enthusiasm for music assemblies.  
**Sponsor:** Mrs. Gerstmyer

**Club: Math Olympics**  
Purpose: To prepare for the math competition at The Catholic High School  
Meeting Day: Fridays (September 17<sup>th</sup>-end of October)  
Meeting Time: TBA  
Student #: Teams of 4 students each  
Requirements: Girls only from grades 6-8  
Sponsor: Mrs. Geibler

**Club: Cross Country Club Team**  
Purpose: Fitness and prepare for competitive racing  
Meeting Day: TBA  
Meeting Time: TBA  
Student #: open  
Requirements: none  
Moderator: Mr. Swartz  
Coaches: TBA

**Club: Announcement Club**  
Purpose: Make announcements in the morning and afternoon and at special assemblies when needed  
Meeting Day: Wednesdays (when needed)  
Meeting Time: During school day  
Student #: up to 6  
Requirements: Good speaking voice, recommendation from a teacher  
Sponsors: Mrs. Barnes, Mr. Schott

**Club: Library Club**  
Purpose: To understand, refine, & extend the workings of the library as a center for the Saint Margaret student community.  
Meeting Day: TBA  
Meeting Time: Lunch/recess  
Student #: No more than 12  
Requirements: Students in Library Club must maintain a minimum "V" in all "Special" classes and a "B" average in all other classes.  
Sponsor: Mr. Ballweber

**Club: Games Club**

**Purpose:** Games are a fantastic way to socialize and have fun with friends! Games challenge us to engage our brains in new and exciting ways. Together we'll enhance and develop our critical thinking skills, strategic thinking skills, analytical skills, math skills, writing skills, and our communication skills! Games offer opportunities to grow as individuals, building qualities of sportsmanship, fair play, character, and honor. Of course, we'll have plenty of fun, too!

**Meeting Day:** TBA

**Meeting Time:** Lunch/recess

**Student #:** No more than 18

**Requirements:** Students in Games Club must be passing all current classes and be up-to-date on assignments. Schoolwork comes first, games come second.

**Sponsor:** Mr. Ballweber

**Club: Recycling/Green School/Science Club**

**Purpose:** The purpose of the Recycling/Green School/ Science club is to engage students interested in Environmental Science and conservation with various activities. Students will be asked to research, plan and investigate ways to make the school more environmentally friendly. Students will also brainstorm and implement fundraising projects to raise awareness about environmental issues. By participating, students will become more aware of the impact we have on the environment and how to better care for God's creation.

**Meeting Day:** Students meet once a month (TBA) at lunch time, recycling is every Tue/Thur

**Meeting Time:** Lunch time

**Student #:** 15

**Sponsor:** Mrs. Morello

**Club: LEGO Robotics**

**Purpose:** The SMS LEGO Robotics Club is about creatively solving problems by programming LEGO robots to perform a series of movements and tasks (called missions) on an 8' x 4' game mat. The missions are related this year's theme "Learning Unleashed". Along with performing missions, team members are responsible for and judged on cooperation and team work. The club participates through FIRST LEGO League (FLL) and will be involved in local scrimmages and a regional qualifier in January. Students in this club are expected to attend weekly meetings from Sept – Jan.. There is an \$80 fee for all participants of this club. Students wishing to participate must complete an application.

**Meeting Day:** Thursday

**Meeting Time:** TBA

**Sponsor:** Mrs. Messenger

**Club: Homework Helpers**

**Purpose:** Assisting with computers, escorting of students, helping students with homework, proofreading; assisting with directions, other duties as directed

**Meeting Day:** Monday-Friday (students will be assigned days)

**Meeting Time:** M,W-F (11:54-12:26PM), T (11:34-12:06PM)

**Sponsor:** Mrs. Link

Club: **Book Club**

Purpose: To read and enjoy different genres of literature with fellow book lovers! If you love books and you want to share those stories and characters with others - you're in the right place!

Meeting Day: once or twice a month depending on book choice

Meeting Time: Lunch time

Student #: no more than 15

Requirements: Students in Book Club must maintain a minimum "G" in all "Special" classes and a "C" average in all other classes.

Sponsor: Mrs. Cowan

## **Elected or Selected Student Clubs**

Club: **Scholympics**

Purpose: Scholympics members are recommended by teachers and chosen by the moderators based on academic ability and performance. These girls will compete in Scholympics, an academic competition, with other 7<sup>th</sup> grade girls in the Archdiocese at the Institute of Notre Dame.

Meeting Day: Thursdays in February and March

Meeting Time: 3-4PM

Student #: 9 girls

Requirements: The students must be willing to devote time to preparing for the competition by attending the meetings and studying the materials provided. Also, the students must be able to attend the competition on the specified Saturday morning in the spring.

Sponsors: Mrs. Geibler

Club: **Student Leadership Team**

Purpose: Middle school students will meet with faculty and administration to plan events for the student body. In the spring sixth and seventh grade students will complete applications to be considered for selection to the Student Leadership Team. Students will be selected based on their application and ability to meet minimum conduct, effort and academic grades. Each homeroom may select a representative to attend meetings and report back to the class about issues discussed. The moderator(s) of Student Council will oversee all discussions and request and reserve the right to remove active members from the club based on guidelines established under the application for office. elect four Student Council officers. .

Meeting Day: Wednesday

Meeting Time: Lunch/Recess - Library

Sponsors: Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Ploskonka