

2022-23 Upper School Club List - The Pingry School

Club Name	Mission/Purpose	Faculty Advisor	Student Leaders (2022-2023)	Meeting Frequency	Room #
Anatomy Club	Anatomy Club meets every month to dissect various specimens such as brains, hearts, and snakes. The procedures and anatomy of each animal are explained during the dissection, allowing for no prior experience to be necessary to participate! The club is a great opportunity for students interested in the biomedical/surgical fields, or anyone who wants to perform fun, hands-on dissections.	Torres	Maria Loss, Lauren Kim	Once a Month	338
Arts Are Us	Arts Are Us (AAU) is a art club for all students and all levels. At AAU you can spend time learning about new materials or techniques, or you can do your own thing and use it as a time to develop your own skill and relax. If you are more serious, you can use AAU as a way to get critique from teachers and develop your art, enter competitions and other opportunities.	Boyd	Shacil Boatswain, Aida Li	Twice a Week	TBD
Asian Student Union	We are dedicated to discussing relevant topics to the wider Pingry community about the Asian and Asian-American community. Our hope is we can give a new perspective to the school about Asian culture and its importance. We organize events and invite everyone in the Upper School to attend these events and our meetings.	Wang	Caleb Park, Evan Wen, Aida Li	Every 2 Weeks	264
Astronomy Club	This club aims to make astronomy accessible to the entire community by providing students with the opportunity to observe, photograph, and research objects in the night sky.	Joujan	Max Watzky	Once a Month	TBD
Bags to Bridges	Bags to Bridges' mission is to promote sustainability and work to end homelessness. This year, club members will start the year by designing a custom tote bag, which we will then be ordering and selling at various events and locations. Then, all the proceeds will be donated to Bridges, a nonprofit with the goal of ending homelessness. This club is perfect for anyone who loves design or enjoys marketing for a good cause!	Hartz	Annika Shekdar, Sarah Gu	Every 2 Weeks	Cafeteria
Beads for Better	In this club, we meet once a week to make beaded jewelry. We hold jewelry sales throughout the year and donate 100% of the proceeds to St. Jude Children's Hospital. Club members are able to relax and have fun making jewelry, while also contributing to raising money for cancer research and treatment.	Hartz	Maddie Humphreys, Lulu Field	Every 2 Weeks	TBD
Big Blue Pride	To create a community and get everyone involved at sporting events.	Decatur	Bella Goodwin	TBD	TBD
Birthday Wish	The A Birthday Wish Club meets every month to wrap presents for children in foster care and to talk about fundraising opportunities during the school year. A Birthday Wish Club's mission is to celebrate children in foster cares birthdays by giving them presents of their choice and personalized cards. We want to make children in foster care feel special on their birthdays and make them feel thought of and cared for. A Birthday Wish club's mission is to also spread awareness about the issues in foster care and try to make a change in the community. This club is a fun and great way to get community service hours for any amazing cause!!!	Sunyak	Avery Hoffman	Every 2 Weeks	TBD
Black Affinity Group	The Black Affinity Group is a safe space for students who identify as Black to share our experiences and learn about our vast array of cultures. The ultimate goal is to create a small inviting community within the larger Pingry sphere. Typically, we will meet twice a month during community periods.	Boone	Nubia Gooding, Victoria Ramos	Twice a Month	205
Blue Key	Blue Key is a student leadership club for students who know what makes Pingry a great school and are able to articulate those qualities in service to our community. As Blue Key members, you will be ambassadors of the school: leading tours, welcoming visitors, hosting student applicants, participating in campus events, and reaching out to newly admitted students. We are so proud of our students and we want to showcase you! For you, this is a great opportunity to give back to your school, develop your public speaking and leadership skills and share your excitement about Pingry with the wide community!	Schachter	TBD	Once a Month	305L
Black Student Union	BSU is a student group that works towards a common goal for the Black community, while at the same time creating a safe and inclusive environment where students of all identities can be informed on the issues that affect the black community at Pingry and beyond.	Stephenson	Sochie Odunlami, Victoria Ramos, Sonia Nkansah, Cameron Brown	Twice a Month	278

Boys Affinity Group	This is an affinity group for students who identify as boys.	TBD	TBD	Once every other cycle	410
Bridges Outreach	The Bridges Club gets Pingry students involved with the Bridges Outreach organization, a New-Jersey based non-profit that provides food and other supplies to homeless communities in New York, Newark, and Irvington. Students can participate in "runs" to New York City to assist the delivery and distribution of necessities.	Hartz	Jada Watson, Gordon Oatman	Once Every 2 Weeks	207
Buddy Program	The members of our club mentor kids, in grades K - 8, during the Greater Brunswick Charter School's after school program. The kids at the charter school love their Pingry mentors and role models!	Hartz	Thomas Yanez, Sebastian Sampedro	Once a Month	Front of School
Calliope	Calliope is Pingry's premiere arts and literary magazine, highlighting student submissions across a wide variety of mediums. We publish two major issues over the school year - one in the winter, and one in the spring.	Paton	Mirika Jambudi	Varies	336
Care-Full	Founded in May 2020 by four Pingry high school students, Care-Full Charities is a 501(c)(3) organization providing PPE packages to COVID-vulnerable groups across New Jersey and New York. Pingry students can volunteer to make packages, fundraise, and distribute packages. For more information please visit our website www.care-full.org and follow us on Instagram @we_are_carefull	Hartz	Meher Khan, Verna Lange	Varies	Varies
CCEC	Our mission is to organize events and promote existing clubs revolving around community service at Pingry in addition to encouraging the role of civic responsibility in everyday life.	Hartz	Spencer Jahng, Ava Kotsen, Julia Flood	Once a Week	Outside
Chamber Choir Club		Winston	Sejal Patel	TBD	TBD
Chess Club	The purpose of chess club is to play and promote chess inside the school.	Grant	Shaan Lehal, Adam Bauhs, Leo Xu	Once a Week	324
Christian Affinity Group	This is an affinity group for students who identify as Christians.	Longo/ Sharma	Ava Kotsen	Twice a Month	441
Cinema Club	Every week we get together to discuss a certain topic of film as a group. This can range from genres of film to the industry itself to some of our favorite directors. Cinema Club opens up our members to new films and film experiences every week.	Horesta	Jason Weaver, Julia Covello, Jake Francis	Once a Week	Next to Jr. Area
Clay Working Club	Learn new clay-working techniques, have fun in the studio, free working, and create cool clay projects!	Goodwin	Annika Shekdar, Jules Amorosi, Delaney Swain	Friday CP	Clay Working Studio
Climate Outreach Club	The mission is to strive to increase the awareness of climate change and its profound implications for the human society by organizing outreach activities, with a special focus on the needs of underserved communities.	Farrell		Twice a Semester	Varies
Competitive FBLA	Our mission is to educate students on how to be a successful business leader and investor. FBLA holds national level competitive competitions such as a Virtual Business, managing an Investment Portfolio, etc. with cash prizes, awards, and national recognition. Weekly discussions will be held to educate students about various topics under Business and Investing.	Barr	Gaurav Thakur	Once a Week	330
Competitive Programming Club	The goal of the Competitive Programming Club is to help students who are interested in computer science prepare for various programming contests. The club hopes to develop problem solving skills and algorithmic thinking in addition to programming knowledge.	Thuzar and Jolly	Evan Wen, Alan Zhong	Every 3 Weeks	TBD
Contemporary Discussions	Contemporary Discussions is a club that is meant to encourage free thought and open discussion through non-combative and non-political dialogue. Our goals are to further broaden our horizons and deepen our understanding of new topics by evaluating and listening to various perspectives from other members.	Ward	Luke Guest, Vared Shmuler, Andrew L. Overdeck	Every 2 Weeks	344
Covenant House	This program will not run as a club but rather a group of students that offer opportunities for students to engage in programs that promote global citizenship.	Hartz	Julia Covello, Ryan Travers	Once a Week	317
Creative Writing Club	To foster a love of creative writing within Pingry students. We hope to achieve this through different exercises, prompts, and safe spaces where people can feel free to share their writing.	Kelly	Francesca Zarbin, Annabelle Shilling	Every Two Weeks	336

Denan Project	The Denan Project (TDP) Club is an opportunity for students to work closely with senior members of The Denan Project, a nonprofit organization that supports impoverished areas around the world. We will engage in several projects and initiatives throughout the course of the year to raise money and awareness for TDP, allowing club members to make a "hands on" difference in these impoverished areas. Club members will also receive the unique opportunity to learn more about the missions, goals, and history of TDP through speakers who will attend events that the club will host.	Hartz	Mirika Jambudi, Meher Khan	Every 2 Weeks	439
Dungeons and Dragons	We aim to foster creativity and community while playing Dungeons & Dragons, a popular table top role playing game.	Leone	Jordan Miller, Max Watzky	Once a Week	
East Asian Affinity Group	This is an affinity group for students who identify as East Asian.	Yu and Chu	Lauren Kim, Rachel Zhang	Once every other cycle	235
ECF Empowerment Club	The Emmanuel Cancer Foundation is a foundation dedicated to helping NJ families facing pediatric cancer. ECF does many things to support their patients and their patients' families such as free professional in-home counseling for the whole family, emergency financial assistance, material support, and much more. During this terrible pandemic, ECF families have been particularly vulnerable. So this is where your help comes in-need. We will host fundraisers, food drives, movie nights, and a 5k. Our club is a very low commitment. If you are interested at all in helping us host any of the above and/or want to do engaging activities, join our club. It is for an incredible cause and it will be very fun!	Hartz	Jiya Desai and Emily Dicks	Every 2 Weeks	TBD
Economics Club	The Economics Club leads discussions on a wide range of topics and current events related to the field of economics. Through events such as presentations on global economic current developments, debates on fiscal policy, and guest speakers, this club seeks to understand the choices people, governments, and societies make when faced with complex issues that have far-reaching impacts.	Barr		Once a Month	304
EMS Club	The purpose of the club is for students who are interested in EMS to come together and learn about the field and become involved in EMS opportunities.	Apu	Adam Bauhs, Sejal Patel	Every 2 Weeks	205
Engineering Club	The purpose of Engineering Club is to teach students about the Engineering Design process through tackling all sorts of projects, working with specialists and in workshops, and sharing the wonders of engineering to the greater Pingry community! We especially focus on hands-on learning opportunities, ensuring that students have fun while developing their problem-solving skills and learning how to apply the design process like an engineer.	Samadani, Jenkins	Daniela Karnaugh	Once a Week	140
Enviornmental Activist Club (EAC)	Environmental Activist Club (EAC) aims to combat climate change through climate education and lobbying. The club works with Citizens' Climate Lobbying, a nonpartisan nonprofit climate change organization. Members meet with Congressional representatives to support climate legislation.		Nick Meng, Anika Sinha	Every 3 Weeks	205
Ethics Bowl	National High School Ethics Bowl is an interscholastic competition in which students engage with contemporary ethical quandaries. Our insightful discussions focus on ethical inquiry and respectful debate, fostering students' argumentative skills and understanding of philosophical frameworks that they can apply as they navigate controversial ethical issues.	Ward	Krish Patel	Every Week	455
Feminist Literature Club	The Feminist Literature Club aims to encourage important conversations about modern day feminism and what role women in society have been made to play throughout time through reading various books. The Club is currently reading The Handmaid's Tale by Margaret Atwood, which discusses power dynamics between men and women, gender roles, and what traits that women possess are considered valuable by the patriarchy.	E. Lear	Julia Eng, Grace Fericola	Every Other Week	336
Fishing Club	To get more people to come into the great outdoors and to spread awareness about environmental issues sounding NJ's waterways and fisheries.	Goodwin	Kyle Nicoll, Christian Fassnacht	Once a Month	TBD
Food for Thought	The mission of the club is a community service club centered around giving food to those in need in New Jersey through food drives. We help out with school run food drives, do food drives outside of school, and other fun community service activities.	Hartz	Isabel Zarbin, Francesca Zarbin	Once a Month	Library

Fostering Care	Fostering Care is a club dedicated to raising money and awareness for children in foster care. We hold various fundraisers at Pingry while also partnering with organizations such as CASA of Union County and Miriam's Heart. This club is a great way for students to get involved in community service for a good cause!	Hartz	Julia Flood, Camille Collins, Savannah Dibre, Greta Reinhardt	Varies	310
Frisbee Club	We plan to meet at least weekly(preferably 2-3 times) occasionally compete in tournaments, and organize friendly games with other local frisbee programs (weekly). If time and interest allow, we hope to operate similarly to an official sport. During the Fall season, we will meet on the girls varsity softball field and the field near the secondary entrance(depending on availability).	Shilts	Shaan Lehal, Alex Henry, Andy Overdeck, Cayden Barrinson, Gavin Wang	2-3 times a week	Softball Field/ Varies
fyi sci	FYI Sci is a student-run organization that communicates the wonders of science to the Pingry community. We have three departments – podcasts and visuals, blogs, and videos — in which members create projects in the form of slideshows, videos, posters, social media posts, articles, and more. We often hold large community events such as trivia games and STEM challenges, aiming to learn more about science, share our knowledge with the student body, and have lots of fun! For more information, visit our website at https://students.pingry.org/fyiscil	Coe/ Mygas	Maria Loss, Sophia Odunsi	Once a Month	126
Geography Club	Geography Club provides a fun, competitive, environment for the high school student body in the field of geography. Inspired by the NatGeo Geography Bee available only to middle schools, our mission is to organize schoolwide tournaments and other forms of competition using various resources to encourage a love and affinity for geography and both the general knowledge and practicality that come with it	Murray	Spencer McLaughlin, Ayush Basu	Every 2 Weeks	453
German Club	The mission for the club is to share German culture and traditions with the Pingry community. We will host fun German events so that people can enjoy German holidays and culture.	Ady	Samuel Hecht, Neil Riener, Kellani Laidley	Once a Month	459
Girl Affinity Group	The Girls Affinity Group provides a safe space for students who identify as girls to discuss various topics they find relevant and share ideas.	Charles/ Kinney	Isabella Fuentes, Sophia Odunsi	Once every other cycle	203
GirlCode	GirlCode aims to educate and inspire girls to try out Computer Science to help close the gender gap in the technology and engineering sectors. As computers and technology grow increasingly important to society, coding is quickly becoming an essential skill. The club strives to teach girls how to code, which will open up new opportunities for them in the future.	Jolly	Olivia Taylor, Zala Bhan	Varies	Varies
Global Citizenship Initiative	GCI is the Global Citizenship Initiative. Global citizens acknowledge that our world is an entangled web of connections and interdependencies. They are aware that their choices and actions may have repercussions for people and communities locally, nationally or internationally. As the world gets increasingly smaller, it is paramount that Pingry fosters leaders of tomorrow who are globally cognisant and aware of the complexities of the world around them. GCI will capitalize on the myriad of opportunities and resources present in the Pingry community in order to facilitate a desire among students to create meaningful and long lasting global awareness and change.	Hartz	James Thomas, Adrian Kurylko	Every 2 Weeks	324
Girls in STEM	Girls in STEM aims to introduce young girls within the community into the world of STEM in an effort to reduce the gender gap in this typically male-dominated field. We work closely with children from various schools and teach them experiments that strive to spark an interest in the field of science, technology, engineering, or math. We also honor famous women in STEM and hold interviews with local women in STEM-related career paths. This club is a great opportunity to pursue your interests in science, help inspire young girls, and have fun with a group of like-minded people!	Farrell		Every 2 Weeks	310
Go Club	The Go Club aims to provide a platform for students to learn and play a fantastic strategy game that develops analytical abilities, fosters creativity, and encourages big-picture thinking.	Jolly	Victoria Xie	Every 2 Weeks	278
Green Team	This group promotes sustainability at Pingry and in the wider surrounding community	Tandon	TBD	Once a Week	106
GSA (Gender Sexuality Alliance)	The GSA is a student group dedicated to educating the Pingry community on LGBTQ+ related issues, and providing a safe space for all students to learn more about what it means to be queer.	Lasevich	Brielle Marques, Veronica Suarez, Mykah Weckesser, Grant Lardizabal, Annabelle Schilling	Once a Month	306

Handbells Choir	Handbells is a fun, relaxing, and low commitment club that learns and plays songs on the handbells. No experience with music or playing handbells is necessary. We typically perform a few times a year at the winter and spring concerts as well as during morning meetings. Handbells is a great way for students to get musically involved!	Winston	Maria Loss, Julia Flood, Allie Jones	Once a Week	Women's Choral Room
HIRT	Based on the iRT model, which is traditionally used by the sciences, the Humanities iRT offers students the opportunity to partner with faculty members to do advanced study in the humanities.	Longo, Longo Johnston	N/A	Varies	Varies
Honor Board	The Honor Board is a group of Upper School students—representing each Form—who aim to promote the spirit of the Honor Code within the Pingry community. As a student-driven organization, the Honor Board addresses current issues relating to honor and character in the community.	Hoepfl/ Dunbar	Chairperson - Stephanie Ticas. Secretary - Diego Pasini.	Every 2 Weeks	Boardroom
Humanities Center	We want to help Pingry students excel in all humanities subjects ranging from Latin to World History through individualized or group tutoring sessions.	Benoit	N/A	Tutoring	Publishing Room
Immigrant Relations Club	Our mission is to create a relaxed environment where Pingry kids can connect with refugees. We are offering psychological support to those whose lives have been disrupted or impacted through all of the refugee camps. Those with comparable backgrounds or who are willing to share their stories could aid our endeavor by drafting letters describing their struggles and offering upbeat encouragement. With the aid of translation software, messages could be translated, and our group could hold fundraisers for the cause. Our club is supporting the general people that are affected. Like families and those that need their spirits lifted. We will be communicating directly with refugees as pen pals, and we will allow Pingry students to form friendships with refugees rather than simply fundraising for them, through English tutoring and communication.	Vazquez	JingJing Luo, Sofia Wood, Ava Khan, Tingting Luo,	Once a Month	457
Indian Dance Club	Indian Dance Club is a small group of students who learn and choreograph various dance numbers. We primarily focus on Bollywood, but occasionally do some semi classical. Our mission is to explore Indian culture, open up our creative sides, and have fun!	Haven	Saniya Kamat	Once a Week	TBD
International Connections Club	The mission of International Connections Club is to unite high schoolers across the world, specifically in Sri Lanka and Spain, through pen palling. Pen palling is a great way to learn more about another culture, to make new friends, or even to have the pleasure of writing letters to someone. In the future we will also be able to start fundraisers for charitable organizations from across the world and raise awareness for causes we may not hear about as much from the USA.	Dillon	Siyara Kilcoyne	Once a Month	TBD
iRT	The IRT Independent Research Team is a group of small teams doing original research on topics ranging from molecular biology to physics to computer science. Each team is lead by a senior student and a faculty mentor who are responsible for teaching underclassmen, collaborating with scientists at nearby universities, and driving the project forward. All projects are novel, student-driven, and grounded in the current scientific literature.	D'Ausilo	N/A	N/A	N/A
Jewish Affinity Group	This is an affinity group for students who identify as Jewish.	Alex Lasevich, Shelley Hartz	Max Watzky, Vared Shmuler	Once every other cycle	241
John Taylor Babbitt Foundation	JTB was founded to raise awareness of sudden cardiac death like that suffered by John Babbitt, a Pingry student who collapsed and died of undiagnosed sudden cardiac death while playing basketball in 2006. The club's four main goals are: Advocacy, Education, Defibrillators, and Fundraising. We advocate to raise awareness about sudden cardiac arrest in the local and Pingry community. We educate those about the proper use of Defibrillators and how they can save lives. Lastly, we fundraise to purchase defibrillators for schools or community organizations who lack the funding to purchase a defibrillator on their own.	Hartz	Mary Claire Morgan, Charley Bush	Once a Month	241
Journal Club	Students, faculty, alumni, and researchers present cutting edge experiments being undertaken at universities and research institutions around the world. Anyone is welcome to join a Journal Club presentation on Fridays during Conference Period.	Mygas	George Shavel, Rachel Zhang	Twice a Week	310
K-Pop Dance Club	We explore Korean culture through popular music and dance.	Wheeler	Brielle Marques, Sophia Odunsi, Kyra Li	Once a Week	525
Lacrosse the Nations	This club seeks to unify the lacrosse community in initiatives to improve education and health while creating joy and opportunity for children in need.	Garrow	Bella Goodwin, Jake Abdi	Once a Month	306

Latino Student Union	Our mission is to spread Latin culture to the Pingry community at our meetings and school events and to create a community for Latino students at Pingry.	Olvera	JP Salvatore, Sebastian Salvatore, Andrew Vilarin, Luigi Zavala	Every 2 Weeks	306
Latinx	This is an affinity group for students who identify as Latinx.	Santiago	Victoria Ramos, James Beachem, Melania Rosales, Adrianna Perez	Once every other cycle	241
Learn Japanese Club	The Learn Japanese Club seeks to promote the Japanese language and culture through exploring the vast worlds of anime, Japanese kana writing system, traditions, delicious food, and manga.	Leone	Gabrielle Marques, Annabelle Shilling	Every 2 Weeks	435
LGBTQ+ Affinity Group	This is an affinity group for students who identify as LGBTQ+.	Benoit	Grant Lardizabal, Annabelle Shilling	Once every other cycle	Email Mr. Benoit for Location
Lighthouse Relief	Lighthouse Relief was founded on the Greek island of Lesbos in September 2015, mobilizing to provide an emergency response to arriving refugees fleeing conflict and persecution. Today, their work is focused on mainland Greece in Athens and Ritsona Refugee Camp, where they work tirelessly to meet the needs of the vulnerable populations of refugees and asylum seekers. At the Lighthouse Relief Club, we connect LHR to the Pingry community through fundraisers, promoting awareness, and engaging with the refugees in a meaningful way. In the past, the club has planned and hosted a variety of fundraisers and collaborations such as candy sales, movie nights, and writing collaboration.	Hartz	Anika Sinha	Every Week	310
Math Club	This club will cover a wide range of math topics in its weekly meetings to increase student exposure to math beyond the school curriculum. We will work together to solve problems of a wide range of difficulty such that Pingry students with any level of prior knowledge regarding the topic at hand would be able to improve upon their analytical and problem solving skills.	Poprik	Max Liu, Leo Xu	Every 2 weeks	437
Meditation Club	If you are looking for an outlet to relax and ease your mind in the midst of this stressful school year, we welcome you to room 531 every other Friday during second flex. We will be employing various meditation techniques that you can take with you for the rest of your life for your physical and mental wellness.	Wheeler	Tanish Reddi, Franklin Mau	Every 2 Weeks	525
MEND Club	In the MEND club, (Meeting Essential Needs with Dignity) we strengthen and support MEND's food pantry network by providing supplemental food, funds, volunteers, and a monthly forum for collaboration. MEND also advocates for policies to improve the quality of life for those in need in the County. It is an interfaith network of 22 member food pantries located throughout Essex County, NJ.	Hartz	Claire Sartorius, Ali Santana	Once a Month	TBD
Middle East Affinity Group	This is an affinity group for students who identify as Middle Eastern.	Samadani	TBD	Once every other cycle	306
Mind Your Money	Mind Your Money's mission is to provide simplified and easily understandable financial literacy to all students. We write educational articles for the website, teach personal finance classes to younger students, and more. Later this year, we will also be competing in the New Jersey Personal Finance Challenge. It's a great club for anybody interested in finance or marketing!	Webber	Annika Shekdar, Rahil Kakar	Every 2 Weeks	TBD
Mock Trial Club	Mock Trial Club is a competition in which we simulate a real trial by preparing both sides of the trial, the prosecution and defendant, and present it in a courtroom in front of a judge. This is a statewide competition where school teams can earn their way to being state champions. This year, we will not be doing a competition, so our meetings will just be to get all of our members comfortable with the format of mock trial and the general layout to hopefully compete next year! No previous experience is necessary!	Honohan	Katia Krishtopa, Rahil Kakar	Every 2 Weeks	308
Model Congress	This group is dedicated to promoting political awareness across the community and building a foundation for lifelong leadership skills.	G. Johnson	James Beacham, Vared Shmuler, Olivia Roure-Singh, Ava Kotsen	Varies	Varies
Model UN	This body is dedicated to promoting an awareness of global issues and an appreciation for international dialogue, cooperation, and diplomacy.	Decatur/Murray	Emily Dicks, Jiya Desai, Ziv Shah, Thomas Davis, James Thomas, Jing Jing Tuo	Every 2 Weeks	324

Morgans Message	Morgan's Message strives to eliminate the stigma surrounding mental health within the student-athlete community and equalize the treatment of physical and mental health in athletics. We aim to expand the dialogue on mental healthy normalizing conversations, empowering those who suffer in silence, and supporting those who feel alone.	Charles	Annabelle Mahoney, Milligan Clark-Schoeb	Every 2 Weeks	304
Multiracial Affinity Group	The Multiracial Affinity Group is focused on creating a safe environment for Pingry students where they have the opportunity to learn more about their background, engage in fun activities, and share ideas. We are committed to spreading awareness throughout not only Pingry but other schools as well by bringing our communities together with the use of "colors of the world" crayons.	Morales	Maria Loss, Allie Colella, Olivia Roure-Singh	Once every other cycle	305L
Musical Theater Club	Musical theatre club gives students the opportunity to learn how to sing, dance, act, and perform.	Antwerp	Brielle Marques, Uma Menon, Lauren Poprik	Once a Month	Theater
Muslim Affinity Group	This is an affinity group for students who identify as Muslim.	Toor	Saniya Tariq	Once every other cycle	203
Negotiations Club	The Negotiations Club is an opportunity to experiment with new ways of communication in order to reach mutual agreement with the other group of people. We are learning the principles of proper negotiation and some clever tips on how to negotiate. We will engage in numerous mock negotiations throughout the year where we will practice our previously learned principles of negotiation. Lastly, we will participate in law and business debates.	Ward	Sophia Deeney	Twice a Month	306
Neuroscience Club	Neuroscience Club is a club where students who are interested in learning about neuroscience can gain more knowledge in the field and the ability to apply this knowledge in real life. In this club, members will get the opportunity to listen to lessons and engage in discussions about what they learn, as well as apply the knowledge gained in these lessons through projects and experiments.	Farrell	Daniela Henriques, Liv Murray	Every 2 Weeks	TBD
Outing Club	This group is committed to helping students develop a long-lasting appreciation for the natural world through activities such as hiking, camping, naturalism, and the like. Led by faculty members and supported by students, the Pingry Outing Club teaches wilderness and leadership skills while exposing children to the natural wonders of the local environment.	Farrell, Webber, Gonzalez	John Grissingner, Matthew Oatman, Gordon Oatman, Thomas Davis	Once a Month	Outside
Overlook Auxiliary Junior Twig	Overlook Auxiliary Twig Program is a chance to get involved with a local hospital and gain community service hours. The Junior Twig program is sponsored by the Overlook hospital in Summit, and we will work on a couple projects per year to help the hospital with funding, supplies, and anything else beneficial. The Club will meet about twice a month. This club is a great opportunity to get involved with the hospital community and to gain community service hours with your friends!	Charles	Ella Tabish, Keira Troy, Alexis Glasofer	Every 2 Weeks	TBD
Parker Road Review	The mission of the Parker Road Review is to foster and celebrate the very best of Pingry's student humanities scholarship. Students may submit research-based and analytical papers, produced in their humanities courses and HIRT. Submissions will undergo a process of peer review, which will encourage revision and collaboration while challenging students to develop intellectually engaging and sophisticated prose.	Longo/ Longo-Johnston	James Thomas, Milenka Men, Luke Evans, Kate Marine, Brooke Hannon, Vanya Shah	Twice a Month	TBD
PAWS for a Cause	We are trying to raise awareness about animals' well-being when under human control whether that be in a zoo, laboratory, farm, home, or even unrightfully hunted in their own habitat. We will also bring awareness to endangered animals and raise money for various associations that promote animal welfare. We also will try to organize some trips to different shelters to volunteer.	Hartz	Isabelle Chen, Sienna Patel, Kayla Kerr	TBD	TBD
Physics Club	Physics Club aims to introduce students to physics through experimentation, hands-on learning, and competition. No experience is necessary as our goal is to share our knowledge and passion for the subject.	Samadani	Max Liu, Leo Xu	Once a week	140
Pingry Buddies	Pingry Buddies is a club that gives Pingry High School student the opportunity to be engaged with Pingry Lower School students to help better connect our two campuses. You work with a couple other high schoolers and a group of lower school students and can choose to either do "virtual fun" with them, read with them, or be a homework helper with them. It's a great way to earn community service hours (1 hour per session) and supper fun to talk with younger kids!	Hartz	Maisy Webster, Sarina Lalin	Once a Month	320

Pingry Business/ ESG	Pingry ESG is a student-run club that will teach and apply the principles of ESG to upper school students such that it prepares Pingry students for a successful career in business. In short, Pingry ESG is a student business club with a conscience.	R. Hoepfl	Sebastian Sampedro, Alexander Massey	Once a week	235
Pingry Community Research (PCR)	The Pingry Community Research (PCR) journal highlights student contributions to novel scientific research. We promote students' intellectual curiosity and interest in science, while emphasizing the importance of critical thinking and the diverse, interdisciplinary nature of scientific research fields. Our Fall issues comprises novel research conducted by students outside of school, alongside reporter articles, which are reviews written by students on a topic of their choosing. Our Spring issue comprises all research conducted at Pingry, in groups such as IRT, SMART Team, AP Biology, and more. For more information, visit our website at https://students.pingry.org/pcr/about-pcr/	Maxwell	Mirika Jambudi	Varies	Publishing Room
Pingry Credit Union	The mission of the Pingry Credit Union (PCU) is to promote financial wellness and provide financial tools to the Pingry community. Through our partnership with Affinity Federal Credit Union, we provide access to credit union accounts at an institution whose primary concern is to fulfill the needs of its members. To promote financial wellness, the PCU hosts a financial literacy series where we present on a range of topics to increase the financial awareness of our community. You can open an account at affinityfcu.com/pingry/	Rushforth	Alexandra Ouzounian, Ava Kotsen	Twice a Cycle	Board Room
Pingry Investment Team	The Pingry Investment Team competes on behalf of Pingry in the Wharton Global High School Investment Competition, hosted by the University of Pennsylvania's Wharton School of Business. Our core club mission is to promote financial education and inspire future leaders in the business world. We do so by providing a space where students can learn about economic principles and investment strategies, as well as apply the skills they have learned in an investment competition with schools around the world. During the competition season, members collaborate to create an investment strategy based on a case study, and during the off-season, members hone their skills, preparing for the next season by learning about key concepts in economics, finance, and investment.	Richardson	Vinav Shah	Twice a Week	Hauser Collaboration Room
Pingry Public Policy Club	This club is focused on analyzing pending New Jersey bills and creating civil political discourse. YAC is a great way for students to get involved with local politics.	Maxwell		Every 2 Weeks	437
Pingry Record	Pingry's student-run newspaper (in print and digital format).	Borowick	Mirika Jambudi, Milenka Men	Once a Week	Student Technology and Publishing Room
Pingry Republicans	The Pingry High School Republicans is an official chapter of the New Jersey High School Republicans, one of three youth auxiliaries of the NJGOP. Our goal is to provide a strong collective voice for politically active high school students and shape the future leaders of our country. Members have the chance to open new doors and get involved in local politics through a variety of projects and events, focused on making students learn to advocate within their communities and elect Republican candidates to public office.	Jenkins	Ava Kotsen, Charlie Cooperman	TBD	TBD
Pingry Sailing Club	This club's mission is to build a community of new and experienced sailors at Pingry! Our hope is to eventually have this club evolve into a full competitive team at Pingry, but for the beginning we will focus on teaching new sailors the basics of sailing while connecting experienced sailors and hoping to give them a chance to sail in local regattas over the weekends.	Hoffman	Abby Baird, Isabelle Baird, Max Naseef	Once a Week	TBD
Pingry Sports Analytics	The Pingry Sports Analytics Club welcomes everyone. We review the scores and standings of all active sports leagues. We also look at articles from journalists and other professional sports analysts. Occasionally we watch a sports film or host a live watch party for significant sports events. The main objective of our club is to create a community within Pingry where everyone feels welcome to come and just talk about sports.	Ormond	James Bergman, Cameron Brown, Kyle Nicoll, Chris Fassnacht, Henry Pyne	Once a Week	TBD
Politics Club	This club examines current political, social, and economic issues in a round table format. Meetings begin with a presentation by a student member and the floor is then opened for discussion. The group's goal is to promote critical thinking and reasoned discussion.	Wakefield	Shaan Lehal, Ben Tran	Once a Week	205
POLYGLOT	This club is a student publication where students can publish works written in different languages.	Kouri	Olivia Buvanova	Every 2 Weeks	TBD

Project 100x	Project 100x is a crypto and NFT club. Here you can learn and have fun with crypto and NFTs. Want to create YOUR own NFT collection? Well, join us! The club's mission is to spread knowledge about what I think is one of our futures, crypto/NFTs. We will learn together using various strategies, practice by doing group tournament styled paper trading, and maybe even participate in some competitions outside of Pingry! The crypto space has grown tremendously over the past two years reaching a market cap of over two trillion dollars! That's why I think it's important to learn about it. Join the club and let's 100x!	Rushforth	Nikita Hogan	TBD	TBD
Psychology Club	This is a club open to people in any grades to learn about topics from the psychology class, practice methods for good mental health, and to focus on mental health education about common disorders.	Charles	Julia Haidri, Noor Ellassir, Mehr Takkar, Kate Marine	Once a Cycle	TBD
Quiz Bowl	This group offers academically talented students the chance to demonstrate their knowledge through Jeopardy-style tournaments with other schools. The group participates in various local, regional, and national academic championships.	Richardson/Smith	Mirika Jambudi, Shaan Lehal, Ayush Basu, Ethan Liu, Vinav Shah	2+ Per Week	243
Robotics	This club offers members the opportunity to compete in a global program known as FIRST Robotics. Participants gain knowledge of engineering, problem-solving, programming and teamwork through hands-on experience. FTC 6069 and FRC 2577 are competitive academic teams with the objective to design and build robots for, respectively, the FIRST Tech Challenge, starting in September, and FIRST Robotics Competition, starting in January. The teams are divided into student-led programming, electrical, mechanical, and public relations sub teams.	Jenkins	Dwayne Bazil, Diego Pasini, Olivia Taylor	2+ Per Week	456
Rock Band Club	In the Rock Band Club, we will practice, play covers, and write new music together. We will play shows for the entire school, hold fundraisers, and even play out-of-school venues.	Ward	William Pertsemidis	Once a Week	TBD
Safely Sheltered	Safely Sheltered is a club that fundraises to support local animal shelters and rescue organizations as well as working towards educating ourselves and the greater Pingry community regarding the importance of animal adoption. The club will provide students who are passionate about the cause with opportunities for valuable volunteer experience and community outreach.	Hartz	Ella Wunderlich	Every 2 Weeks	TBD
Shakespeare Club	Shakespeare Club hopes to spread appreciation for Shakespeare, and encourages discussions of our favorite Shakespeare plays, monologues, and characters. We will analyze Shakespeare plays through different lenses, examine themes, read monologues, and discuss movies and books that were inspired by Shakespeare's work.	Romankow	Eloise Williamson	Every 2 Weeks	457
Slavic Student Union	Our student union focuses on unity and connection between those of Slavic descent. As Slavic is a broad term, we hope to build a tight community based on the identity we share while also learning about each other's cultures and traditions!	Lasevich	Katia Krishtopia, Olivia Buvanova, Rebecca Novofastovsky, Daniela Karnaugh	Every 2 Weeks	304
Sneaker Club	The sneaker club is devoted to informing its members of upcoming sneaker releases. We also communicate to our memes about which sites are releasing the shoes and the profit to be made from each pair if sold. We also allow the option to buy, sell or trade shoes with other members of the club. Buying and selling shoes is a great way to start learning about the business and entrepreneurship world!	Corvino	Stephen Szepekouski, Mazin Attia, Reilly Cavanaugh	Every 2 Weeks	306
Solving 4 Change	Solving 4 Change is an organization that observes, asks questions, and then tries to solve those questions with design thinking methods. Whether it concerns social impact or physical change, Solving 4 Change is a community service organization that works to better our community and other communities through design thinking. During club meetings, students will brainstorm ideas, work on projects, watch design thinking films and get to start Solving 4 Change.	Holmes-Glogower	Anika Sinha	Every 2 Weeks	306
South Asian Affinity Group	This is an affinity group for students who identify as South Asian.	Haven and Minhas	Meher Khan, Rahil Kakar	Once every other cycle	441

Special Olympics Club	The Special Olympics Club will help us to find volunteers to teach athletes who play tennis with the Basking Ridge chapter of the Special Olympics. We meet weekly in the fall and spring from 12:00-1:30 on Sundays at the Pleasant Valley Courts in Basking Ridge. In the winter we meet at Chester Tennis Club from 4:00 - 5:00 every other Sunday. Volunteers do not need to commit to every session. This volunteer work will count towards your community service hours. There will also be opportunities to expand this club into other sports with the Special Olympics such as basketball or soccer. Volunteers will be able to learn how to work with athletes that have special needs and share your athletic skills with them. The club will meet every other Thursday from 1:15 - 1:30 PM in room 340.	Rushforth	Daniel Siegel, Stefan Fahmy	Every 2 weeks	340
Speech and Debate Club	Pingry Speech and Debate team aims to improve the oratorical, argumentative, and critical thinking skills of Pingry students through events such as Public Forum, Lincoln-Douglas, and many more. Our goal is to allow students to engage with global issues through competing at the local and national level against other schools across the country.	Corvino	Melinda Xu, Sriya Tallapragada	1-2 Times a Week	342
Storywish Club	Storywish club's purpose is to create a program where high schoolers would pair up with students from one of Pingry's partner schools to help them write a children's storybook together. This storybook would get published in a limited run. Members will mentor kids and they would earn community service hours for working with them.	Hartz	Elbert Ho, Alan Zhong, Jingjing Luo	Every 2 Weeks	TBD
Student Government	The student government embodies the ideals and beliefs of the students and faithfully serves their best interests through the coordination and oversight of student activities. The student government strives to advance and unify the school by promoting good citizenship and encouraging school participation. It acts as a liaison between the administration and the student body and may, with the guidance and approval of the administration, recommend changes to school policy.	Weinberger	John Paul Salvatore	Twice a Month	Varies
Student Movement Against Cancer (SMAC)	SMAC is a club that works with the members of the community to raise awareness about cancer. As a club, we work together with the Pingry community, the greater local community, and other SMAC teams around NJ and the Lehigh Valley area to educate others on the complexity and severity of cancer, and to work together to raise awareness and donations toward numerous different cancer awareness organizations. SMAC runs bake sales, pink outs, educational events, and much more in order to raise awareness about cancer and cancer prevention.	Hartz	Devan Gambello, Kayla Kerr, Delaney Swain	Twice a Month	437
Student Music Initiative	Our mission is to organize and participate in chamber music performances at various Pingry events. Club members are assembled into small groups to learn, practice, and play pieces together, with guidance from the club leaders. The club will hold informal rehearsals for club members to provide feedback and help each other develop musical and performance skills.	Gourhan and McCanally	Caleb Park, Evan Wen, Tannish Reddi	Once a Month	Hauser
Student Technology Club (STC)	We are a group of students passionate about technology who work with the tech office on a variety of projects related to coding, virtual reality, 3D printing, and more	Frantz	Shaan Lehal	Every Tuesday	Tech Suite
Student Wellness Club	Wellness club is more than just a club, but a platform available to all students. We aim to provide a healthy and inclusive environment focused around mental health and overall well-being. We plan to support mental-health organizations throughout the year and meet in room 306 during first flex every two weeks. During club meetings, we can practice breathing exercises, short yoga sessions, or just have open conversations to help relieve stress.	Charles	Annabelle Mahoney, Milligan Clark-Schoeb, Julia Haidri	Once Every 2 Weeks	306
Sweets to Smiles	Sweets to Smiles is a baking club in which students will get the opportunity to bake a different dessert every month for various local organizations. At our meetings, club members will bring their baked goods, help with packaging, learn about the organization we are donating to, and write notes to accompany the treats. Even if you don't bake a dessert, you can still join us at the meetings. This club is a great way to get involved in community service and have fun!	Hartz	Kate Proudfoot, Hailey Flood, Brooke Hannon	Once a Month	TBD
Taiko Drumming	To spread awareness and love for Taiko Drumming.	Leone	Charles Jiang, Jordan Miller, Alex Wong	Twice a Week	Hauser Auditorium
The Broken Wreckord	Pingry's premier student-run satire newspaper! We publish articles, videos, crosswords, and more both in print and on our website.	Ward	Mirika Jambudi, Max Watzky	Varies	Student Tech and Publishing Room

The Pingry Impression	The Pingry Impression is a new magazine starting this year. This magazine will be the first full reviews magazine at Pingry. It will be virtual for the first couple of years; therefore students can record and/or write their responses to many important topics. You may record about and/or write about anything that is non-school based. The sections students can record and/or write about are: movie & song reviews, current sports reviews, world news reviews, book & poetry reviews, fashion reviews, and lastly recipe reviews.	Longo	Jiya Desai, Isabel Zarbin, Francesca Zarbin	Every 2-3 Weeks	324
The Pingry Stock Market Club	The Pingry Stock Market Club provides an opportunity for students to grasp the basics of investing and trading. To achieve this goal we will utilize Marketwatch's Stock Market Simulator and we will also be competing in national stock market competitions. In addition, we will host discussions and seminars about various topics including technical analysis, and other techniques.	Poprik	Tanish Reddi, Will Meyer	Every 2 weeks	453
Triathlon Club	We hope to make the triathlon club a community of competitive endurance athletes who are willing to compete and race in organized events. We are going to train together for multiple triathlon distances from super sprint to ironman. Whether you want to try something new, or compete at a high level, this is the club for you!	Doug Scott, Julia Featherman	Lauren Kim, Arjun Goel, Ziv Shah	TBD	TBD
Veteran Affairs and Leadership Club	To honor and benefit past and current armed service members through community service events, speaker series, and fundraisers.	Ward	Ava Kotsen, Ben Tran, Luca Shum, Alex Henry	Every 2 Weeks	433
Vital Signs	Vital Signs is Pingry's Current Affairs Magazine, aimed at showcasing the big issues the world is facing. We seek to feature all facets of Pingry's politically diverse community and are committed to free speech.	Honohan	Alex Wong, Sarina Lalin	Every 2 Weeks	306
Volleyball Club	In Volleyball Club, we will have a net set up in one of the school's gyms where anybody can come to practice volleyball regardless of skill level. This is an opportunity for students to improve their skills and mentor new players in a stress-free environment year-round.	Shangold	Ava Khan, Nicolas Rodriguez-Lopez, Sofia Wood	Every 2 Weeks	Varies
White Allyship Group	This is an affinity group for students who identify as white.	Woods Murphy	TBD	Once every other cycle	304
Writing Center	The Writing Center is a peer-to-peer tutoring program. Students of all grade levels can drop by to receive feedback from student-tutors. Students can bring work from any class, from English essays to science projects that have a writing component. The Writing Center is open Monday through Friday during CP in room 326.	Behringer, Kelly	Stephanie Ticas, Ella Budenbender	Everyday	326