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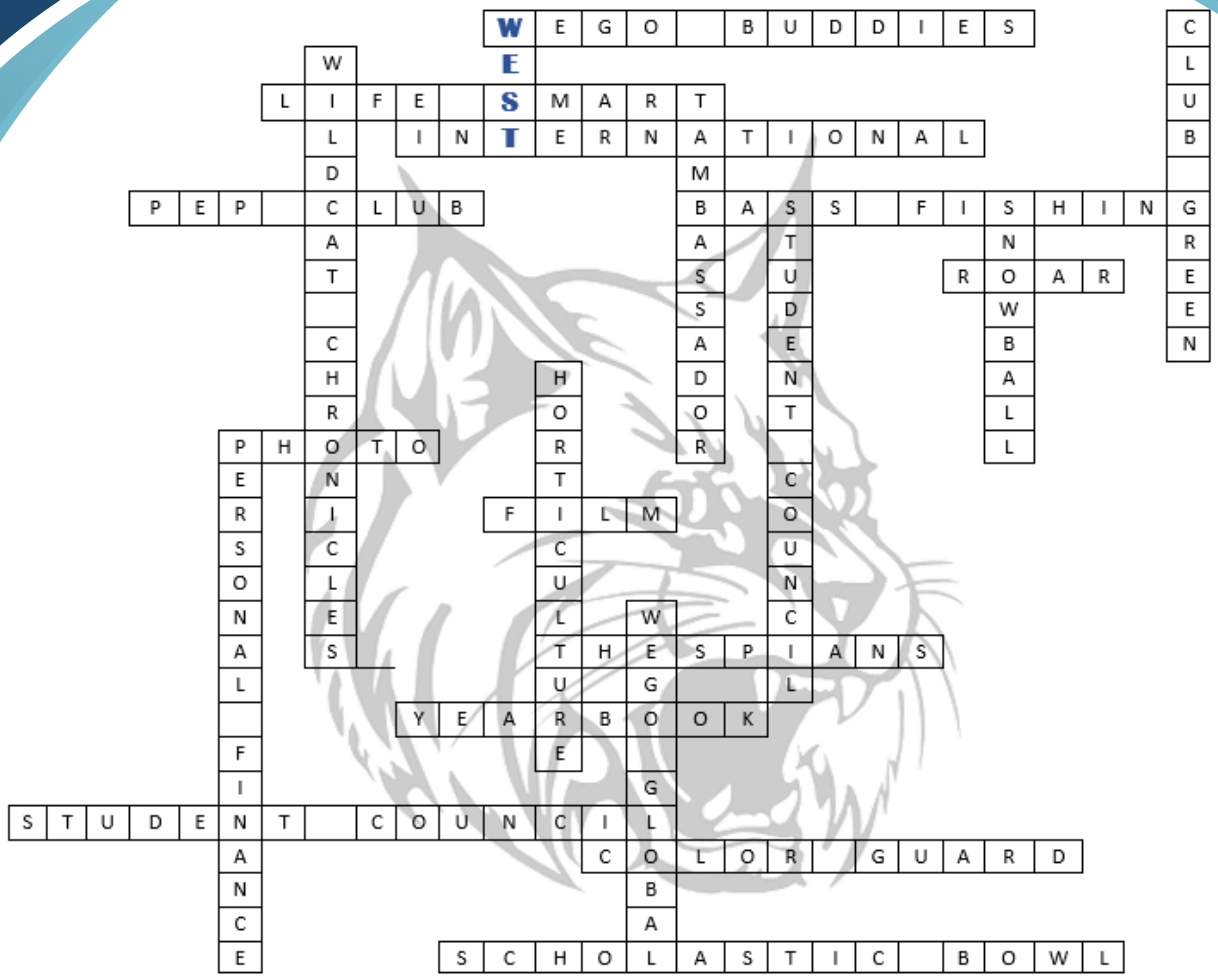
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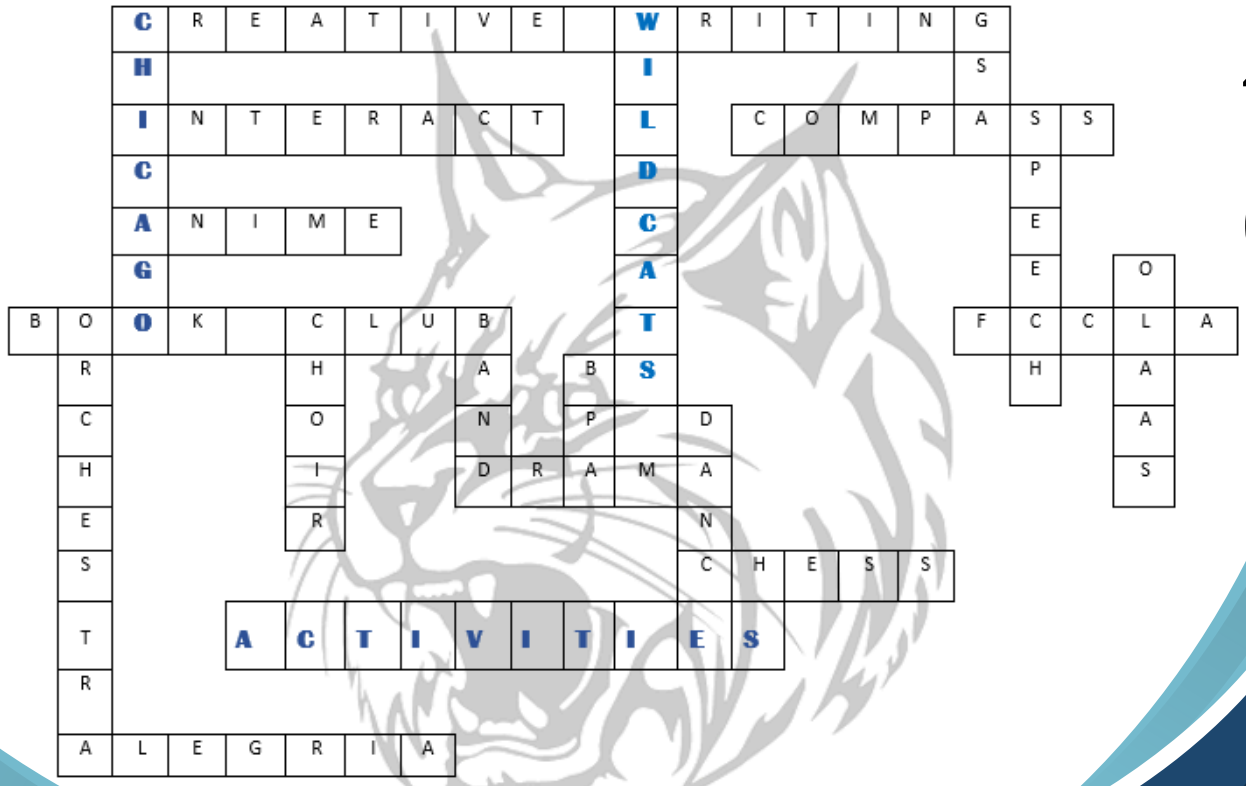
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ALEGRIA

Alegria is open to any student interested in learning Latin style dances. No experience is necessary. Salsa, Bachata, and Merengue are the main dances we focus on. Performance participation is optional and never required. More than anything, Alegria seeks to build a community that is kind and full of joy while learning dance all along the way.

Sponsor: Mr. Anderson & Ms. Espino
Meeting Day: Thursday
Meeting Time: 3:15 – 4:15 PM
Meeting Location: 24136 (1st Semester); Dance Studio or Room 2413 (2nd Semester)
Email: janderson@d94.org; cespino2@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS SEP - MAY

AMBASSADOR CLUB

This club is a group of selected students nominated by West Chicago Community High School staff members who function as Ambassadors at school events that involved the community, parents, students, visitors, and dignitaries. They provide services for open house, parent-teacher conferences, the first day of school, and other events throughout the school year.

Sponsor: Mr. Jennings
Eligibility: Juniors and Seniors nominated by a WCCHS Staff Member
Meeting Day: Varies
Meeting Time: Varies
Meeting Location: Varies
Email: djennings@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

WEGO ACTIVITIES

ANIME

Sponsor: Mrs. Wilson
Meeting Day: Wednesday
Meeting Time: 3:00 – 4:15 PM
Meeting Location: 2640
Email: swilson@d4.org

Anime Club is a social club which consists of students who love to watch Anime and are interested in Japanese culture. As a club we decide what Anime we watch and if we would like to go on any field trips together. Some benefits of joining Anime are Socializing, you get to hang out with other dedicated anime fans and learn from them. Friendships, maybe you'll become best friends with some of them. And that could be a good thing. Networking, you get to know people of similar interests, who may be able to help you in an unrelated way. You never know. First Hand experience, you'll learn what it's like to run an anime club, be a part of one, and have all kinds of experiences. Finally, you never know where it could lead to. Besides - doing it is better than "thinking about it" because it's better to try something than to never do it and regret.

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

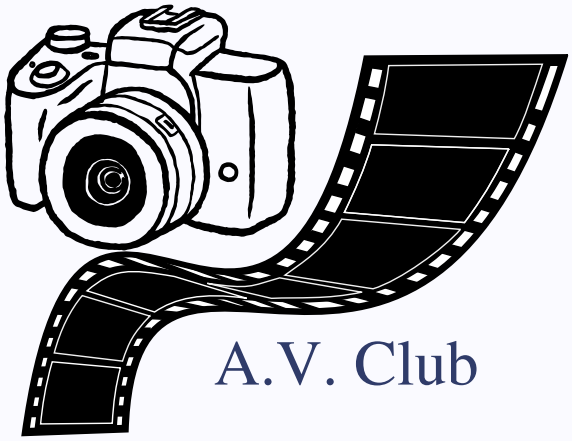
ART CLUB

Do you need an opportunity to express yourself? Do you want to paint banners? Do you want to try "mini" Art Lessons? Do you like watching great, creative movies? Then come to an Art Club meeting and check us out!
You don't have to be an Art student to be in Art Club.

Sponsor: Mrs. Dulkinys & Mrs. Richardson
Meeting Day: Tuesday
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: 1146
Google Classroom: rraz7fx4
Email:

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

WEGO ACTIVITIES



A.V. CLUB

A.V. Club meets twice a month to discuss and study the art of photography in a hands-on way that involves unique opportunities to get out into the real world and do some snapping! Even if you only have an IPhone camera, you're welcome to join us as we seek to grow together as photographers and student of light! We have several DSLR cameras for you to learn on and would be happy to have you join us as often as you're able to see what develops. In addition to going on adventures together, taking and developing photos, we also order prints of our best work from time to time to showcase within the building.

Sponsor: Mr. Jennings
Meeting Day: 1st & 3rd Monday of the month
Meeting Time: 3:15 – 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: 2140
Email: djennings@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

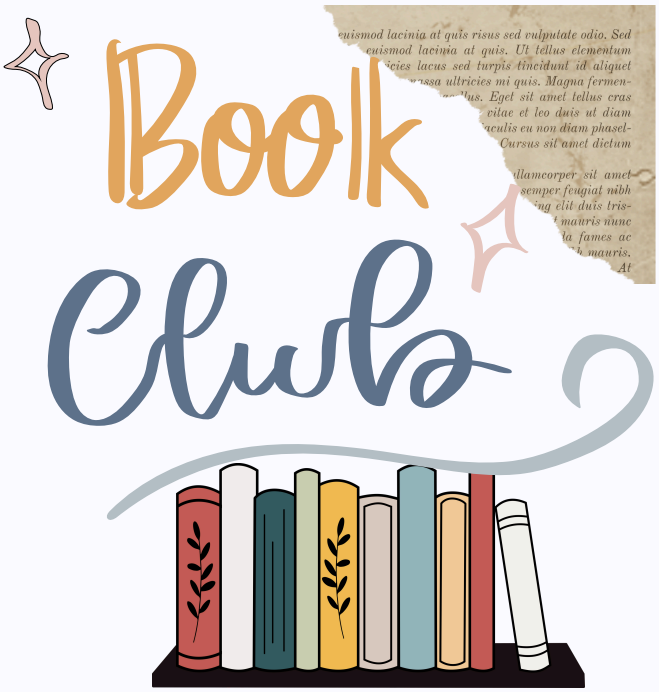
BASS FISHING

The Bass Fishing Club meets initially in the fall to establish the team(and get in any fishing if we can before the weather turns cold). It slows its activity a little in the winter months (for obvious reasons) and picks back up again in the spring for our competition season. In our meeting, we discuss fishing strategies and begin practicing skills. They compete in fishing tournaments in the spring, the IHSA state series each April, and the Upstate 8 Conference tournament each May. The team is open to all during the school year, and then we pare down numbers for competition season.

Sponsor: Mr. Lichy & Mr. Brown
Meeting Day: Tuesday
Meeting Time: 3:15 – 4:00 PM
Meeting Location: 2117
Email: plichy@d94.org, sbrown@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS MARCH - MAY

WEGO ACTIVITIES



BOOK CLUB

If you enjoy reading and talking about books or just want to boost your enjoyment of books, join us for discussion, friendship and (usually) treats.

Sponsor: Mrs. Naughton
Meeting Day: Every other week; Thursday before school and one Friday after school session
Meeting Time: Varies
Meeting Location: LRC
Google Classroom: Contact Mrs. Naughton
Email: cnaughton@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

BUSINESS PROFESSIONALS OF AMERICA

BPA is designed to bring business and education together in a positive working relationship through innovative leadership and career development programs. The chapter is involved in the school and community through activities such as the breakfast with the chambers, youth-in-industry day, participates in homecoming activities and adopt-a-family. BPA members participate in competitive events at the area, state and national levels. Events range from business content and computer skills to speaking, presenting, and interviewing. We welcome all students, freshmen through seniors to join, participate in activities and compete in events.

Sponsor: Mrs. Wirth & Mr. Jarosz
Meeting Day: 2nd & 4th Thursday
Meeting Time: 7:30 - 7:50 AM
Meeting Location: Student Activity Center
Email: kjarosz@d94.org and mwirth@d94.org

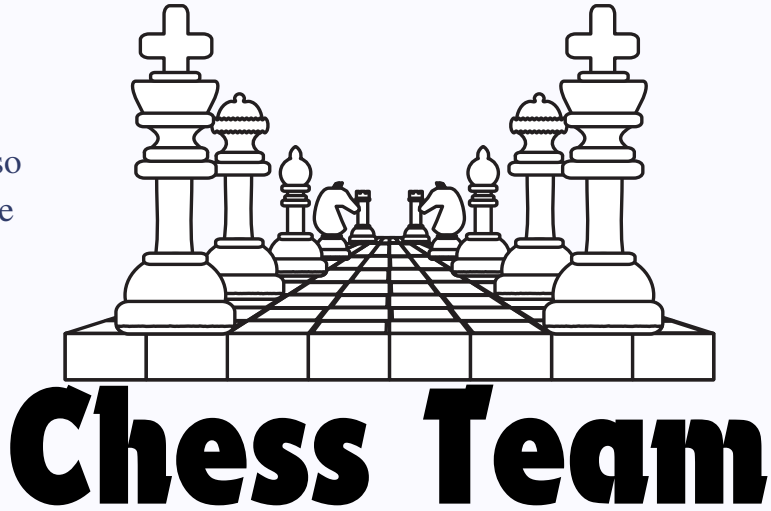
ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

WEGO ACTIVITIES

CHESS TEAM

The Chess Team competes in individual meets, tournaments, and the Upstate 8 Conference. They also compete in the Illinois High School Association State Chess Tournament held each year in Peoria, IL

Sponsor: Mr. Kash
Meeting Day: Monday & Tuesday
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 5:00 PM
Meeting Location: Science Conference Room
Email: pkash@d94.org



ACTIVE MONTHS SEP - FEB

CHORAL

There are four different Choir Ensembles to be a part of. We rehears and perform from a comprehensive and varied list of music performed at four concerts throughout the school year. In addition to our concerts, we have various activities that we participate in throughout the year; including school wide events, Music Department activities, performances in and around the community and performance trips/tours.

Sponsor: Mr. Fantozzi
Meeting Day: Daily in Class
Meeting Time: Daily in Class
Meeting Location: Choir Room
Email: bfantozzi@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

WEGO ACTIVITIES

CLUB GREEN

Club Green is design to promote awareness concerning environmental issues. The club is involved in creating recycling programs for the school, community services projects such as cleaning the prairie path, raising money for various charities and encouraging students and teachers to go green.

Sponsor: Mrs. Burchacki
Meeting Day: 1st & 3rd Monday
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: 2432
Email: sburchacki@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

COMPASS

Compass is an interdenominational Christian club that is student-led, in which we discuss practical faith toward God in Christ based on the principles taught within the Bible. We have games, devotionals, guest speakers, and special events such as movie nights, service projects, and social gatherings. Compass is open to everyone, no matter what you believe, and is a safe place for students to ask difficult questions, have fun together, and get to know other students here at WeGo. We hope you will join us!

Sponsor: Mr. Seaman
Meeting Day: Tuesday
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: Student Activity Center (SAC)
Email: kseaman@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

WEGO ACTIVITIES

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

CREATIVE WRITING

Creative Writing Club is a creative space for students at WeGo to develop their unique voices through writing, performing, and engaging in community events and field trips. We write, perform, participate in Open Mic nights, and even take field trip adventures both within the community and into the city of Chicago. The mission of Creative Writing Club is to empower students as poets and lyricists, and to encourage development as a performance artist.

Sponsor: Mrs. Deleon & Mr. Ramza
Meeting Day: Twice a month on Wednesday
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: 2110 (Mr. Ramza's Room)
Email: tdeleon@d94.org, mramza@d94.org

DRAMA

WeGo Drama is one of the largest clubs at the school. The award-winning group brings people together who love the performing arts and want to make many great friends. Wego Drama has students who act, sing, and dance; also, the club is full of students who enjoy building, creating special effects, sound, video, design, making costumes, and so much more. All students will find a family environment where they will learn a great deal and laugh even more!

The Student Officers run most events and make most decisions for the season's activities and numerous fun field trips. Wego Drama puts on several productions per year.

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

Sponsor: Mr. Begovich
Meeting Day: Tuesdays
Meeting Time: 3:00 PM
Meeting Location: Auditorium
social Media: @wegotheatre ; www.wegotheatre.com
Email: mbegovich@d94.org

WEGO ACTIVITIES

DRONE CLUB

CONTACT SPONSOR FOR MORE INFORMATION

Sponsor: Mr. Huber
Meeting Day: TBD
Meeting Time: TBD
Meeting Location: TBD
Email: thuber@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

FCCLA

FCCLA is a national Career and technical Student Organization that provides personal growth, leadership development, and career preparation opportunities for students in Family and Consumer Science education.

Sponsor: Mrs. Bauer & Ms. Renteria
Eligibility: Family and Consumers Science students enrolled in Foods, Interior Design, Fashion and Child Development
Meeting Day: 1st Wednesday of the month
Meeting Time: 7:20 AM
Meeting Location: 1164
Google Classroom: 5nscwzw
Social Media: Instagram: wego.fccla
Email: bbauer@d94.org; erenteria@d94.org

FCCLA

Family. Career and Community Leaders of America

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

WEGO ACTIVITIES

FILM CLUB

Students in the film club explore into the enchanting world of filmmaking, where they embark on the creative journey of crafting captivating short films.

Sponsor: Mr. Begovich
Meeting Day: Once a month on Tuesdays
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: 2523
Email: mbegovich@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

FLAG CORP/ COLOR GUARD

Color guard is a fall activity that performs along with the marching band. We will perform at all the home football games, Winfield Good Old Days Parade, and Homecoming Parade. We start in early August with band camp where we will teach you everything you need to know! I will teach you the basics of flags and all the routines, so no experience is necessary. Try-outs are in the summer.

Sponsor: Ms. Rufo
Meeting Day: 2 days a week - Full band rehearsal on Thursdays
Meeting Time: 3:15 PM - Thursday 6:30 - 9:00 PM
Meeting Location: Stadium
Email: rufoa@wego33.org; A_rufo572@yahoo.com

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - OCT

WEGO ACTIVITIES

GENDER-SEXUALITY ALLIANCE

The Gender-Sexuality Alliance works to provide a safe and welcoming environment for all students at West Chicago Community High School. All students are welcome to participate, and our members include lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer students and straight student allies. Our activities are a blend of service to the high school and community and fun for our members. Past activities have included guest speakers from colleges and social services agencies, field trips to see prominent speakers, scavenger hunts, and movie days, just to name a few. We are active in raising awareness at the high school about harassment and bullying as well as advocating to make our school safer and more welcoming for all students.

Sponsor: Mrs. Sladek & Mrs. Parker
Meeting Day: Thursdays
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: 2447
Google Classroom:
Contact Mrs. Sladek or Mrs. Parker to join
Email: csladek@d94.org, aparker@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

HORTICULTURE CLUB

Horticulture club is a club for those who love all things plants. We plant in the greenhouse, learn how to maintain the plants in the greenhouse and get involved in both school and community events. Our big events are the 2 plant sales at the end of the year. Students learn marketing strategies, communication with the public and how to keep your garden growing. Field trips to Ball Seed gardens included in the fun.

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

Sponsor: Mrs. Stieglitz
Meeting Day: First Thursday of every month
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: 2435
Google Classroom: wbe3ugi
Social Media: Instagram @wegohort
Email: cstieglitz@d94.org

WEGO ACTIVITIES

HOSA

HEALTH OCCUPATION STUDENTS OF AMERICA

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

CONTACT SPONSOR FOR MORE INFORMATION

Sponsor: Mr. Huber and Mr. Vishneski
Meeting Day: TBD
Meeting Time: TBD
Meeting Location: TBD
Google Classroom: TBD
Email: thuber@d94.org; pvishneski@d94.org

IHSA DRAMA

Sponsor: Mr. Begovich
Meeting Day: TBD
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: Auditorium
Email: mbegovich@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS DEC - APRIL

WEGO ACTIVITIES

INTERACT

Sponsor: Mr. Engel
Meeting Day: 2nd Wednesday of the month
Meeting Time: 7:30 AM
Meeting Location: College and Career Center
Google Classroom: M364opt
Email: gengel@d94.org

Interact Club is a school and community service organization linked to the school and community in various ways. This includes our partnership with our local West Chicago Rotary Club, a service club for adult citizens. Interact sponsors service projects for its members and assists in motivating and involving the general school population in projects (which are designed to benefit others). These include the Fall and Spring Blood Drives, West Chicago Park District's Boo Bash and Frosty Fest, Lions Club Candy Days at Sonny Acres, the Humanitarian Service Project and many more. Interact also sponsors fundraising projects that benefits the high school and community and additionally donates monies to needy charities.

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

INTERNATIONAL CLUB

Sponsor: Mrs. Gill and Mrs. Wessels
Meeting Day: Thursday
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: 3517
Email: sgill@d94.org; nwessels@d94.org

The International Club is an organization made up of students who are interested in covering with students from different cultural backgrounds. The purpose of International Club is to learn about cultures through exposure to art, enjoying ethnic food and experiencing different ways of life. Within our own community as well as the surrounding areas there are many opportunities to investigate different ethnic groups. Through these experiences, we educate ourselves about the diverse world around us. Activities of the club include: Potluck dinner, German Christmas Market, cultural festivals, foreign films and much more!

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

WEGO ACTIVITIES

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

JAZZ BAND

Sponsor: Mrs. Janiszewski
Eligibility: Only students currently enrolled in a curricilar band can participate in Jazz Band (with the exception of students that play piano, guitar, or bass)
Meeting Day: Wednesday
Meeting Time: TBD
Meeting Location: Band Room
Email: mjaniszewski@d94.org

AUDITIONS TAKE PLACE IN MID-LATE OCTOBER

LIFESMARTS

West Chicago Community High School Business Education students have a rich history competing in LifeSmarts. LifeSmarts is a program of the National Consumers league that provides a competitive environment to test students' knowledge in the areas of personal finance, consumer rights, health & safety, the environment, and technology.

Each March our school hosts the Illinois State LifeSmarts competition. Winning the state tournament allows teams to compete at the national level. In recent years, our students have competed in San Diego, Orlando, and Washington D.C.

24-25 - ILLINOIS COMPETITION: 1ST PLACE

23-24 - NATIONAL COMPETITION: 9TH PLACE

Sponsor: Mr. Zabelin
Eligibility: Open to all students who enjoy academic competition
Meeting Day: Wednesday
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:45 PM
Meeting Location: SAC Conference Room
Email: dzabelin@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS NOV - APR

WEGO ACTIVITIES

MARCHING BAND

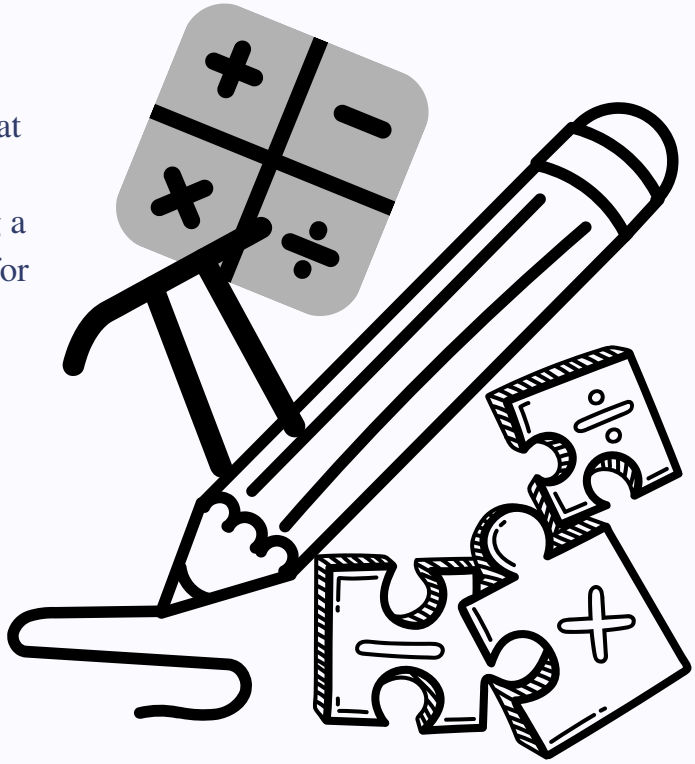
Club Members perform at home football games, in local parades and various other community events.

Sponsor: Mrs. Janiszewski
Eligibility: Only students currently enrolled in a curricular bandcan participate in Marching Band (with the exception of Color Guard members).
Meeting Day: Thursday night rehearsals
Meeting Time: 6:30 - 9:00 PM
Meeting Location: Band Room & Stadium
Email: mjaniszewski@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS JULY - OCT

MATH TEAM

The Math Team is comprised of a group of students that enjoy exploring the wonders of mathematics. They compete in competitions throughout the year including a Conference and Regional Tournament. If you qualify for state, you can even go to the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in the State Tournament.



Sponsor: Mr. Vokes & Ms. Bove, Mr. Demma
Meeting Day: Thursdays
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: 1411
Social Media: @wegomrv
Email: cvokes@d94.org ; kbove@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

WEGO ACTIVITIES

MUSIC HONOR SOCIETY

MUSIC Honor SOCIETY

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

Students can only apply during their Sophomore, Junior, and Senior years. They need to maintain a certain GPA, good standing and excellent participation in the music department, musical leadership, outside interest in music, and reach a minimum point requirement that we have in our application process.

Sponsor: Mrs. Janiszewski & Mr. Fantozzi
Eligibility: Sophomore, Juniors, and Seniors
Meeting Day: TBD
Meeting Time: TBD
Meeting Location: Choir Room
Google Classroom: a7dred7
Email: mjaniszewski@d94.org ; bfantozzi@d94.org

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The National Honor Society is one of WEGO's most active and respected groups, bringing together juniors and seniors who care about academics, leadership, and service.

Each year, over 100 students join our chapter - organizing school events, leading volunteer efforts, and representing WEGO with pride. If you love giving back, want to grow as a leader, and enjoy being around like-minded people, NHS is for you.

Eligible students are invited to apply each summer, and those accepted are recognized at Honors Night and graduation. We host two major events a year and support service projects in and out of school.

Sponsor: Mrs. Fireman
Eligibility: Juniors and Seniors with a 4.5 GPA or Higher
Meeting Day: Third Tuesday/Thursday of each month
Meeting Time: Before and after school
Meeting Location: Community Room
Social Media: www.d94.org/nhs
Email: lfireman@d94.org

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY NHS

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

WEGO ACTIVITIES

Sponsor: Mr. Poulterer
Meeting Day: Once a month
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: TBD
Social Media: http://olaas.weebly.com
Email: mpoulterer@d94.org

OLAS

OLAS (Organization of Latin American Students) is a club that is open to ALL students in the school. Activities of the club include field trips (Millennium Park, The Art institute, the Shedd Aquarium, Lincoln Park Zoo), sledding, ice skating, volunteer service, and marching in the West Chicago Mexican Independence Day Parade

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

ORCHESTRA

Check out our web site, https://sites.google.com/site/communityhighschoolorchestra for updated information.

Sponsor: Ms. Austin
Meeting Day: In class
Meeting Time: In Class
Meeting Location: Music Department
Google Classroom: M364opt
Email: saustin@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

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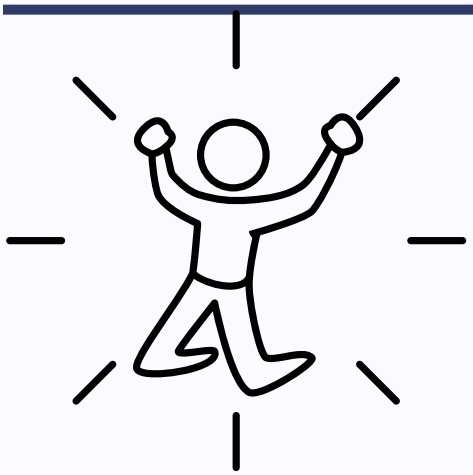

PEP CLUB

Sponsor: Ms. Mastroianni, Mr. McKenna
Eligibility: Seniors
Meeting Day: "certain" Wednesday´s
Meeting Time: 7:15 AM
Meeting Location: 3530
Email: emastroianni@d94.org ; MMcKenna@d94.org

Pep Club's main goal is to promote and increase school spirit. To accomplish this goal, Pep Club plans assemblies throughout the year to introduce and support school activities and programs (such as Homecoming and Powder Puff), and coordinates spirits activities with Student Council. One of the major activities of Pep Club is to organize and promote Homecoming activities during Homecoming Week.

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

PERSONAL FINANCE CHALLENGE

The Illinois Personal Finance Challenge (IPFC) is a competition designed to recognize students who demonstrate high levels of comprehension and application of personal finance concepts and skills. The competition is open to all students enrolled in some personal finance class, such as Economics, Consumer Economics, AP Macroeconomic, AP Microeconomics, Investment Contact Mrs. Fikis at cfikis@d94.org, 630-876-6454 for questions.

Sponsor: Mrs. Fikis
Meeting Day: Semester 2
Meeting Time: 3:00 - 4:00 PM
Meeting Location: 2612
Email: cfikis@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS JAN - MAY

WEGO ACTIVITIES

ROAR - MENTOR

Each fall, students are selected to become ROAR Mentors after a rigorous application process. The Mentors participate in a full-day training, and meet weekly to further their leadership skills. Throughout the year, the ROAR program holds three full-day events where students from all segments of the school population are invited to participate in student-led small and large group activities. ROAR is designed to support the social-emotional needs of our student body, provide a place for students to come together as a school community, and establish a common place for leaders to grow and mentor other students in our building.

Sponsor: Mrs, Culbertson & Mrs. Schoenbeck
Meeting Day: Thursday
Meeting Time: After School
Meeting Location: 2430
Email: kschoenbeck@d94.org ; jculbertson@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

ROAR DAYS FOR 2025-2026

NOVEMBER 13TH
JANUARY 29TH
MARCH 12TH

ROAR

The mission of ROAR is to provide opportunities for all students to unite in one, Wildcat spirit. We are here to connect with one another and build a positive school climate. ROAR is a full day field trip that takes place in the LRC during school hours. ROAR is designed to develop leaders by bringing together students from all segments of the school population so that bridges of mutual respect can be built. During the day, students can expect to be involved in small group activities that encourage students to make positive social decision and assist in building a positive school climate that reduces the probability of bullying.

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

Sponsor: Mrs. Schoenbeck & Mrs. Culbertson
Meeting Day: Thursday
Meeting Time: Before & after school
Meeting Location: 2444
Email: kschoenbeck@d94.org ; jculbertson@d94.org

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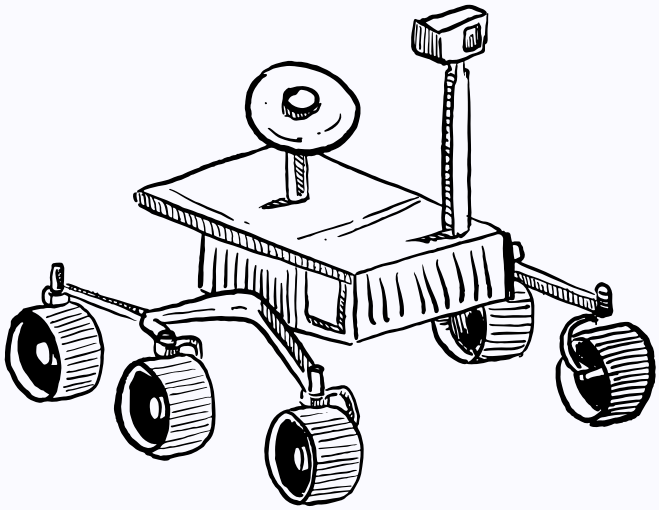

ROBOTICS

Sponsor: Mrs. Naughton & Mr. Kleffner
Meeting Day: Monday, Tuesday and Saturday
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 5:00 PM (M&T) 10:00 - 1:00 PM (Sat)
Meeting Location: LRC
Social Media: @WEGOrobotics Instagram @wegorobotics94
Email: cnaughton@d94.org; jkleffner@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

ROCK CLIMBING CLUB

Ready to reach new heights? Whether you're a beginner or looking to sharpen your skills, our club is for you! No experience necessary - we will teach you everything from tying knots to climbing techniques and belaying safely. Enjoy the thrill of two exciting field trips during the year, meet new friends, build strength, boost confidence, and challenge yourself in the best way possible. Come climb with us!

No experiences necessary!

Sponsor: Mr. Kleffner & Mrs. Wirkus
Meeting Day: Tuesdays
Meeting Time: 3:15 – 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: Field House - Climbing Wall
Google Classroom: 5455gaj
Email:jkleffner@d94.org ; kwirkus@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS AUG - MAY

WEGO ACTIVITIES

SCHOLASTIC BOWL

Scholastic Bowl is an academic competition between teams on both varsity and junior varsity levels from different schools. Although all members will have a chance to compete during meets, only five members of each team are allowed to answer questions at a given time. The questions range from math, science, literature, history, and geography to recent events, religion, and technology. Both varsity and junior varsity participate in tournaments throughout the season and varsity competes in the Upstate 8 Conferences and the IHSA Regionals.

Sponsor: Mr. Caltagirone
Meeting Day: TBD
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: 2620
Email: ncaltagirone@d94.org

ACTIVE MONTHS SEP - MAR

SNOWBALL

Operation Snowball acts as a drug and alcohol prevention program for youth. The goal of Operation Snowball is to offer a variety of resources on healthy lifestyle, leadership and communication skills, and an opportunity to meet other people in their communities who share the ideals of a drug-free life. Operation Snowball is a weekend retreat/lock-in. During the weekend, students will meet peers that are committed to an alcohol, tobacco and other drug free lifestyle. There are also speakers and representations for people to listen to and interact with.

Sponsor: Mrs. Sladek and Ms. Schuck
Meeting Day: Mondays
Meeting Time: TBD
Meeting Location: 2447
Email: csladek@d94.org ; bschuck@d94.org

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Each student will be a member of a small group that will allow him or her to process the speakers and presentations as well as get to know their peers. And of course there are plenty of fun activities for everyone to get involved with! (Teen Leaders will need to apply by the end of October and will begin meeting in November. Participants will need to apply by the middle of December and will attend the event in January.)

WEGO ACTIVITIES

SPEECH TEAM

The student and their individual coach establish rehearsal Schedules directly

The Speech Team is a place of endless possibilities. It gives students an opportunity to perform scenes from plays or movies, interpret literature, and write their own humorous or persuasive pieces. Each year, the TEAM competes against other high schools on Saturdays in the fall and winter in a variety of events, where students can earn medals in any of the 14 individual events, allowing everyone to find something that fits their talents. The team performs for family and friends at the end of January. As well as competes in the IHSA regional, sectional, and state tournaments and the Upstate-Eight Conference Tournament. Practice begins in September, and the state tournament is in late February.

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Sponsor: Mr. Begovich & Ms. Thottupuram
Meeting Day: Mondays
Meeting Time: 3:00 - 4:00 PM
Meeting Location: 2117
Email: mbegovich@d94.org;

·DRAMATIC DUET ACTING (DDA)
·DRAMATIC INTERPRETATION (DI)
·EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING (ES)
·HUMOROUS DUET ACTING (HDA)
·HUMOROUS INTERPRETATION (HI)
·IMPROMPTU SPEAKING (IMP)
·INFORMATIVE SPEAKING (INF)
·ORATORICAL DECLAMATION (OD)
·ORIGINAL COMEDY (OC)
·ORIGINAL ORATORY (OO)
·PERFORMANCE IN THE ROUND (PIR)
·POETRY READING (POE)
·PROSE READING (PRO)
·RADIO SPEAKING (RS)
·SPECIAL OCCASION SPEAKING (SOS)

STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council is composed of representatives from each class, in addition to the class officers, and the Executive Board. The Student Council plans activities for the student body, publicizes those activities and listens to concerns and suggestions from students. In the past years, the Student Council has organized Homecoming, student competitions, spirit weeks and hosted the Prom. Student Council has acquired needed equipment and art for the benefit of the entire school.

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Sponsor: Mrs. Fikis, Mrs. Schoenbeck, Mrs. Culbertson, Mr. Garcia
Meeting Day: Tuesday Class meetings
Freshman and Sophomores – Room 2614
Juniors – Room 2448
Seniors – 2501
Friday Full Council – Social Studies Forum/ Room 2612
Meeting Time: Tuesdays - 7:20 – 7:50 AM
Friday – 7:20 – 7:50 AM
Social Media: @WEGOStuCo
Email: cfikis@d94.org ; kschoenbeck@d94.org ; jculbertson@d94.org ; jgarcia@d94.org

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THESPIANS

Sponsor: Mr. Begovich
Meeting Day: TBD
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: Auditorium
Email: mbegovich@d94.org

WeGo's Thespian Society follows the motto "Act Well Your Part, There all Honors Lies." It is a theatre Honor Society. Students are admitted for their work in WeGo's Drama program.

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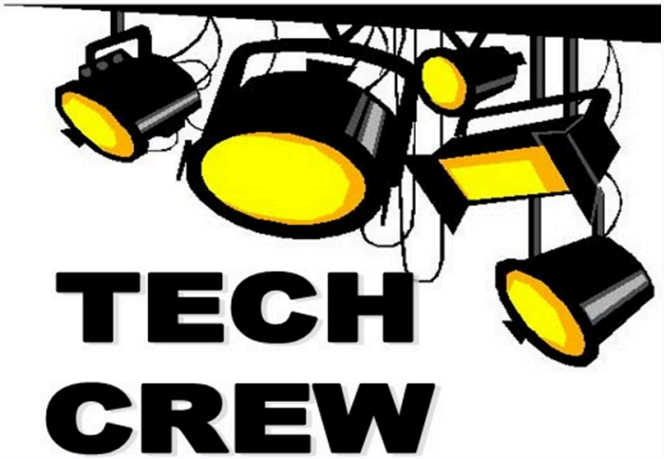
TECH CREW



Club members learn to work backstage on the events in the auditorium, including construction, painting, lighting, sound, props and publicity. No experience needed—we will train members on posted 'safety training days'.

Sponsor: Mr. Jensen
Meeting Day: Various
Meeting Time: 3:15 PM
Meeting Location: Auditorium
Google Classroom: Jos8hq
Email:cjensen@d94.org

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WEGO BOUTIQUE

WEGO Boutique meets during the fall and spring to plan for the Homecoming and Prom Boutiques. This club provides FREE dresses, formal wear, and accessories to students to offset the cost of dances. Club members are responsible for helping plan and advertise the two WeGo Boutique events. Members also help sort through donations to ensure dresses, formal wear, and accessories are kept up-to-date.

Sponsor: Mrs. Hensley, Mrs. Hurtado, Ms. Gawenda
Eligibility: All grade levels
Meeting Day: Varies
Meeting Time: Varies
Meeting Location: Varies
Google Classroom: bkr7bfi
Email: jhensley@d94.org, jhurtado@d94.org, jgawenda@d94.org

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WEGO BUDDIES

WeGo Buddies is a club dedicated to forming one-to-one friendships by matching students with developmental or intellectual disabilities with other high school students. Various activities are held throughout the year to promote meaningful relationships. This is a perfect opportunity to have a fun and memorable high school experience while meeting new people. Follow us on Facebook.

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Sponsor: Mrs. Johnson & Mrs. Labuhn
Meeting Day: Posted in Google classroom
Meeting Time: 3:15 PM
Meeting Location: TBD
Google Classroom: Jyynksg
Email: sjohnson@d94.org ; mlabuhn@d94.org

WEGO ACTIVITIES

WEGO GLOBAL

WeGo Global is a student-run club open to all grade levels dedicated to tackling human rights and social justice issues such as hunger, racism, LGBTQ+ and womens' rights, and education both domestically and abroad, just to name a few. We plan fundraisers such as the Gender Wage Gap Bake Sale, Candy Cane Grams, and change drives, create social media projects to raise awareness of global issues, take field trips, and most of all have fun doing it. We have even traveled out of the country to rural Costa Rica (2016) and Dominican Republic (2018) to connect with local communities and work side by side with them to complete service projects.

A small group of students
can make a big difference!

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Sponsor: Mrs. Haas
Meeting Day: Wednesday
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: 2607
Social Media:
Instagram/TikTok:wcchswegoglobal
Email: mhaas@d94.org

WILDCAT CHRONICLE

Sponsor: Mrs. Fireman
Eligibility: Open to all students who are enrolled in or have taken Journalism
Meeting Day: As needed
Website: Wildcatchronicle.com
Instagram/Tik Tok: @wilcatchronicle
Twitter: @wegochronicle
Email: lfireman@d94.org

If you're creative, curious, and ready to make your mark - come be part of our newsroom!

Interested in writing, photography, or video? Want to share your voice, tell important stories, and be part of something award-winning? Then the Wildcat Chronicle might be for you! The Chronicle is West Chicago Community High School's student-led news publication - and it's more than just a club. It's a class (Journalism!) where you'll create real content for a real audience. We cover school news, sports, and events, write profiles and opinion pieces, and produce photo galleries and videos that keep our community informed and inspired.

Most students join by enrolling in Journalism, where you'll learn the ropes and start contributing right away. Freelance positions are available by invitation for students who've already taken Journalism and proven they can work independently.

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WEGO ACTIVITIES

YEARBOOK

#yearbook

The Yearbook Club is responsible for the student yearbook; it's edited and published by the students.

Sponsor: Ms. Clark & Ms. Mastroianni
Meeting Day: Every other Tuesday
Meeting Time: 3:15 - 4:30 PM
Meeting Location: 2616
Google Classroom: Adnnjue
Email: bclark@d94.org ; emastroianni@d94.org

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