



# Clubs & Activities Descriptions

2019-20 School Year

Programs, activities, and student clubs are available to all persons without regard to actual or perceived age, ancestry, color, disability, ethnicity, gender, gender identity, gender expression, immigration status, nationality, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, or association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics.

## **Academic Decathlon:**

An annual competition with schools all over Stanislaus County, Academic Decathlon is a two-day series of tests, speeches and interviews based on material that team members study all year long, culminating in the "Super Quiz". Academic Decathlon is an opportunity to push your academic growth and represent Beyer to the community.

## **Art Club:**

A place for students to express their creativity. Art Club's purpose is to give creative people a place to get together and collaborate on their artistic ideas.

## **Black Student Union (BSU):**

Our purpose is to provide education and enlightenment of African-American culture as well as promote positive identity for all students at Beyer High.

## **Calculus Club:**

Our purpose is to apply calculus theories to real life situations and assist anyone taking calculus.

## **Chemistry Club:**

Explores essential concepts of chemistry through hands-on activities.

## **Dance Club:**

Brings advanced dance students together to celebrate dance at Beyer through activities, performances, fundraisers and field trips.

## **Drama (Improv) Club:**

Provides students opportunities to explore and experience theatrical arts.

## **Environmental Club:**

Promotes a cleaner and greener campus and environment through recycling, cleanup and fundraising.

**Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA):**

Works to present the challenge and adventure of receiving Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord to athletes, coaches and all whom they influence, and encourage a growing relationship with God and his church while impacting Beyer through sports.

**Film Club:**

Creates an open environment for those passionate about cinema, and its many nuances, to speak and debate with others, who have similar passions about movies, filmmaking and the industry itself.

**Future Farmers of America (FFA):**

The primary purpose is for students enrolled in the agriculture education program at Beyer to develop agriculture leadership, cooperation and citizenship within the community.

**Healthy and Responsible Relationship Troop (HARRT):**

Raises awareness about adolescent relationship abuse and promotes healthy relationships. Also, strives to set an example for their peers on how to maintain healthy relationships either romantic or otherwise.

**Genders and Sexualities Alliance (GSA):**

Creates a strong campus community that celebrates diversity and empowers lgbtq+ students.

**Healthy and Responsible Relationship Troop (HARRT):**

Teaches on healthy and responsible relationships. The members go out and present on topics such as different types of abuse, healthy vs. unhealthy relationships and consent.

**Hispanic Youth Leadership Club (HYLC):**

The mission of HYLC is to develop leadership skills among its members to better serve the school and community at large.

**Interact Club:**

Our purpose is to promote community service while working with the local Rotary Club.

**Key Club:**

Our purpose is to teach leadership through service to others by working within our school and community.

**Mock Trial:**

An annual competition that requires students to demonstrate acquired listening, speaking, reading and reasoning skills. Working in teams, students study a hypothetical court case, conduct legal research and conclude with competitions with other teams in courtroom setting.

**Paradigm Dance Project:**

Seeks to shift the paradigm of dance as most people see it, by teaming general education students with students with physical, mental and emotional challenges to dance, empowering and benefitting the mind, body and spirit of each dancer. We believe everyone can dance.

**Patriots for Christ:**

This club exists to share Christ's love to the students and staff of Beyer High School, being a place of encouragement, fellowship, and worship. Also, seeks to be a positive group of students who put caring into practice on our campus.

**Protect Health and Slam Tobacco (PHAST):**

Educate the public about the harms and dangers of tobacco use by providing assemblies, rallies and informative presentations, coordinating campus activities, and participating in community programs.

**Physics Club:**

Explores the laws and concepts of physics in a lab scenario and applies them to real world projects.

**Pura Vida:**

Our purpose is to promote Autism awareness, develop friendships, and to provide social gatherings to improve social skills. The club is open to anyone that is willing to help others.

**Red Sea:**

The purpose is to promote school spirit through attendance at school events (and cheering LOUDLY).

**Robotics:**

Our purpose is to learn how to build, program and operate a machine built to perform in a competitive environment as an organized and friendly team.

**Science Olympiad:**

An annual competition consisting of individual and team events that encourage learning in biology, earth science, chemistry, physics, problem solving and technology. Some events require knowledge of scientific facts and concepts, while others rely on scientific processes, skills or application.

**Speech Club:**

Speech Club is a competitive team where students practice and improve their public speaking skills and participate in competitions several times a year. All levels of experience are welcome.

**Tea Club:**

Aims to better our knowledge of tea making and tea culture (and its appreciation), and to have fun doing so.