

Proposal for North Hunterdon High School Club
“North Hunterdon News”
Schedule B - 40 Hr Club

GOALS:

1. Connect the North Hunterdon High School community
2. Promote school pride
3. Showcase student writing, research, and artistic abilities through Video presentations
4. Update students on upcoming school activities and events
5. Acknowledge student accomplishments

PROPOSAL:

Students have recognized that morning announcements are unable to acknowledge all of the student life in such a short amount of time and hope that a News Club would provide an in-depth look at student accomplishments and activities. The News Club would give students an artistic outlet through which they can both pursue their topics of interest and display them to the school community. The News Club would choose non-controversial topics of student interest to report on in order to ensure student comfort. It is the hope that a New Club would spark student interest in school events and bring the school community closer together through a new medium.

POSSIBLE TOPICS:

- Sports news
 - Upcoming schedules
 - Articles on recent games and athletes
- School announcements/upcoming events
 - Fundraisers, student activities, etc.
 - Exp: Schools Dances, Running of the Lions, concerts, Relay for Life, etc
- School History
 - School traditions/events
 - Exp: Milk Can Game origins
 - Alumni interviews
- Local Events/Features
 - Exp: Clinton Community Day, Main street Marathon, etc.
- Students Achievements
 - Recognize student accomplishments such as Student of the Month, Awards, and Outstanding Academic Achievements
- Artists and Musicians in School
 - Display art in newspaper
 - Write articles displaying artists and musicians
 - Highlight theater productions and concerts
- Student Reflections/Ideas
 - Seniors can reflect on their time at North and/or give advice to underclassmen

ORGANIZATION OF CLUB:

The club would meet twice a week to ensure maximum time for the Video to be produced, though students may be expected to conduct some research outside of the club. Meetings will be used to ensure productivity of students. Students would be able to choose their field of interest from the above mentioned topics or any other approved topics. One student from each field would be selected, through vote, to oversee the production of that section, and would be given the title of sub-editor of the section. The chief editors would oversee the organization of the whole video and assign current events to members. Chief Editors and Advisors would thoroughly proofread content of the video before distribution. It is the hope that the video would be produced in monthly editions, to ensure time for productions.

ADVANTAGES:

To encourage School, Community and Team/Individual events and honors

To define another way for our school to set itself apart as an institution able to foster the minds of tomorrow

To increase mindfulness of the present moment and awareness of student/ peer actions.

To create positivity within ourselves and among others and to create a more unique and comprehensive School community.

DISADVANTAGES:

May not have interest or availability in student's schedules.

Student commitment is necessary because members would be expected to do some work in their own time

COSTS: Total: \$1378.00 40 Hour Club