PROFILE OF THE GRADUATE AT GRADUATION
At the time of graduation, the Loyola student will be:

Open to Growth
   The graduate of Loyola High School of Los Angeles has accepted responsibility for personal growth — intellectual, spiritual, emotional, physical, and social — and has developed an appreciation for the diversity of his surrounding community as well as the world at large.

Intellectually Distinguished
   A graduate of Loyola exhibits mastery of a four year college preparatory curriculum and goes beyond intellectual excellence to incorporate Gospel values in the light of Ignatian heritage.

Religious
   A graduate of Loyola shows a basic knowledge of Scripture, doctrines, and practices of the Catholic Church while examining personal religious beliefs. The graduate explores and develops faith through further study, participation in a faith community, and prayer experience.

Loving
   A graduate of Loyola has begun to establish his own identity and move beyond mere self-interest by forming deeper relationships with others, valuing personal friendships, and embracing his relationship to the greater community.

Committed to Justice
   A graduate of Loyola is aware of many needs of the local and global communities and is beginning to use his time and talents to work toward the further development of a just society in light of Ignatian ideals. The graduate is preparing to take his place in the community as an accomplished, concerned, compassionate, and responsible “man for others.”

Developing as a Leader
   A graduate of Loyola is aware of and practices the basic skills that facilitate leadership and collaboration. The graduate has had opportunities to exercise such leadership and collaboration in academics, co curricular, and campus ministry.
Windowpanes (Literary Magazine) (Meetings will be Mondays at lunch in P206)
Moderators: Copy – Mr. Caldwell, Layout – Mrs. Grau
Windowpanes, Loyola's award winning literary and art magazine, showcases the creative expressions of all students, faculty, and alumni. Published once a year during the spring under the direction of Mr. Caldwell of the English Department and Mrs. Grau of the Fine and Performing Arts Department, Windowpanes features original art, photography, music, poetry, non-fiction, and short fiction. Mr. Caldwell chooses one copy Editor who is in charge of selecting student and faculty literary work, and Mrs. Grau chooses one Layout Editor who is in charge of selecting student and faculty visual art work. Students interested in submitting their literary work will meet throughout the first semester in Mr. Caldwell's room P206 during lunch on Mondays. Students interested in submitting visual artwork will meet with Mrs. Grau throughout both semesters in B002 during lunch on Wednesdays. Windowpanes will be celebrating its 51st anniversary this year.

Young Conservatives (Meetings at lunch in L212)
Moderator: Mrs. Jardine
The Young Conservative Club focuses on exploring ideas and viewpoints of conservatism. Members are able to practice oral communication and properly express thoughts. Being part of the club will enhance the member's knowledge of our world past, present and future.

Young Philosophers Club (Meetings during lunch every other Wednesday in B202)
Moderator: Mr. Marsh
A multimedia exploration of foundational ideas and intellectual challenges from the ancient world through modernity. Come by to learn, contemplate, and discuss.
The Pride (Meetings Thursdays at Lunch in Tracy St. John Room)
Moderator: Mr. Astran
The Pride provides a social atmosphere for students interested in supporting Loyola Cub athletics. The Pride will provide dinner and transportation to some athletic events. Through this, the Pride gives every student the opportunity to enjoy sports as participants and fans, while creating a safe and enjoyable social event.

Top Chef Loyola
Moderators: Mr. Cendejas, Mr. Peck, Mrs. Randazzo
Top Chef Loyola celebrates the cultural value of communal meals as well as encouraging the independent life skill of cooking. At monthly meetings, we will have a food-tasting competition based on a pre-selected theme, open to students, faculty and staff. Students will serve as judges and commentators. In addition, Top Chef Loyola will discuss the foods of global cultures, share restaurant recommendations, and have top LA-area guest chefs as guest speakers. The club welcomes everyone, even those who think they have no cooking skills...all you need is a love of good food!

Toy Piano Ensemble (Meetings will be in M13)
Moderator: Mr. Speciale
Open to all experimentally-minded instrumental musicians, pianists, artists, actors, and electronic musicians including DJ’s & VJ’s. We do play toy pianos, but toy pianos are a front for all kinds of performance arts including: puppet theatre, movie-making, writing music, sound-art, animation, and computer music. Openness is more important than experience! Come to a meeting and see what it’s all about. We’ll decide on a meeting schedule that best meets everyone’s needs.

True Gentlemen’s Club (Meetings are Thursdays at lunch in A303)
Moderator: Mr. Ebner, Mr. Gallagher
TGC is a committed group of young guys striving to become the men God intends them to become: men of virtue (courage, justice, temperance, wisdom), men of integrity, men for God and men for others. Through prayer, discussion, reading, guest speakers and hands on activities, the club provides an environment where its members can move from being boys to becoming men. Learning how to treat a girl like a lady, or becoming a warrior for justice, a protector of the weak and oppressed, knowing how to fix a car or build a house, being able to survive a rattlesnake bite, or becoming a provider on whom others depend, are all skills that the club fosters and promotes.

Loyola High School
Student Activities
The philosophy of Loyola High School defines a synergistic, three-fold mission: spiritual, academic, and extracurricular. Although each aspect is irreducibly distinct from the others, it is also dependently united to the three-fold mission. Thus, each aspect strengthens the whole, while remaining viably separate. Ultimately, the philosophy guides Loyola High School to prepare young men in conscience and intellect, through wisdom and action, to become “men for others,” who serve unselfishly in order that the universal goals of goodness, truth, and justice may be shared by the whole human family.

Loyola High School defines itself as a “Jesuit College Preparatory.” It is this initial Jesuit emphasis that serves as the preeminent aspect of the school’s philosophy. At the base of the three-fold mission is our spiritual foundation, rooted in the faith of the Risen Lord Jesus, which guides all to serve God and human alike. Thus the Christian community of Loyola’s students, parents, faculty, staff, and administrators gives witness to the Ignatian vision of spirituality that evolves into action. The spiritual mission awakens the conscience and guides the intellect for all to be of service to God and others.

Next in importance, but dependent on the whole for its integrity, is the academic mission of Loyola High School. As the spiritual mission defines what is just, good, and true, the academic mission develops the ability of the student to create action from such knowledge. An informed intellect enables the student to encounter the problems, choices, and challenges of the modern world. Thus, his ability to make decisions, foster changes, and define the limits that lead to the common good evolves from his spiritual awareness of the unique role for which he has been educated. Excellence of the mind in union with an awakened conscience enables the student to fulfill his potential as a “man for others.”

The final aspect of the triad of the mission is the extracurricular. Through a variety of athletics and activities, the student learns to translate his personal visions, goals, and desires into action to benefit himself and others. Courage of self develops when the student’s actions are visible and evaluative. Thus, his endeavors are viable, rooted in his conscience to become evident and nourished by his developed abilities. The “man for others” is the result of a three-fold mission of spiritual, academic, and extracurricular goals and objectives. Inspired by his awakened conscience, trained by his developed intellect, and armed by his courage of self, he is prepared to serve others with goodness, truth, and justice.

The goal at Loyola High School is the development of the whole person. Student Activities help to address this goal. Every Loyola student is encouraged to participate in a co-curricular activity requiring time and commitment on his part. Our goal is that students acquire knowledge about themselves through working with others and cooperating with students of different interests, backgrounds, and personalities toward the attainment of a common goal. This is an extremely valuable experience. Our hope is that there is something for everyone in the diverse activities program.
These clubs and activities are formed by students with particular interests and skills. The process for forming a club is very simple. Students pick up a Club/Activity Application in the Student Center, fill out the application, petition a faculty member to be the club moderator, and if the club or activity is approved, it is formed. We distinguish between Clubs and Activities in several ways. An activity is just that: a specific activity that might be seasonal (Food Drive, AIDS walk, etc.) and does not necessarily require officers, budgets, etc. Generally a club is a group of students with officers, bylaws or a constitution, and regular meetings. These students may pursue a yearlong agenda of activity, study, and action, etc. (Speech & Debate, Monogram Club, Math Club, etc.)

Club Application

The following questions must be answered completely. All answers must be typed and must include the applicant and moderator’s signatures. It is understood that to be recognized as a club, the group must have a faculty moderator (a moderator cannot facilitate more than two clubs unless previously approved by the Director of Student Activities), must fit within the school’s philosophy and values, must state a purpose, membership, structure, activities, and be approved by the Director of Student Activities.

I. Statement of Purpose
   a. State the reason for the existence of the club.

II. Statement of Objectives
   a. State what benefit students derive from membership.
   b. State the goals of the club.
   c. State the club’s proposed activities and how they help the club meet its stated goals.

III. Structure and Organization
   a. How will the club be organized?
   b. Who can be an officer?
   c. Office-holder responsibilities?
   d. Specific requirements for each office?

IV. Meetings
   a. When and where will the meetings take place? Be specific.

V. Moderator
   a. State what you anticipate the club moderator’s time commitment to be.
   b. Explain how the time commitment will be broken down (meetings, activities, etc.)
   c. State the name of the moderator and have him/her initial this section.

VI. Signature
   a. Both the applicant and the moderator must sign, and date the application.
   b. Print both the applicant and moderator’s name under the signature.

Sports Medicine Club
   Moderator: Mr. Moscicki
   The Sports Medicine Club promotes athletic training on campus. Members will learn how to deal with injuries, how to tape, and how to rehab athletes. Students will assist with practices and games as Student Athletic Trainers. Members will also be allowed to travel with teams and be on sidelines and benches during contests.

Sports Statistics Club
   Moderator: Mr. Farland
   If you enjoy watching and analyzing sports, dealing with stats, or even just debating about your favorite NBA team, WE are for YOU! We are a student-run club that collects and computes stats for Loyola’s varsity sports teams as well as professional players, teams, and sports. We use those stats to evaluate, analyze, and better understand the world of sports. As a part of the club, you will be able to expand your knowledge of sports statistics and apply that knowledge to supplement Loyola’s sports teams, formulate your own opinions about professional sports, or use it in your own creative, unique way.

Speech and Debate Team (Meetings Tue, Wed, and Thur after school in P304)
   Head Coach: John Scoggin Asst Coach: James Zucker
   The Speech and Debate Team teaches its members critical thinking, research methods, public speaking, advocacy and debate. The team members compete in speech and debate tournaments both within California and in national competition at the highest levels. Our members regularly qualify to participate in the Tournament of Champions and NFL Nationals.

Student Government
   Moderator: Mr. Walter
   The Council is the administrative board of Loyola’s student body. It provides leadership in all phases of campus life and conducts the business of the student body. The Student Council is an advisory body. It is made up of elected representatives from each class. It discusses student problems and develops plans and programs that it recommends to the Administration for possible action. Through their class representatives, the students may also submit opinions and ideas pertaining to school activities. All candidates for the Executive Student Council must have a minimum cumulative unweighted GPA of 3.0.

Students For Life Club (Meetings are Mondays at lunch in room A303)
   Moderators: Mr. Ebiner, Mrs. Jardine, Mr. Ahearn
   The Students For Life club (formerly known as the Right-to-Life Club) provides an educational setting in which members grow in deeper appreciation of the dignity that every human being is endowed with. Students explore issues such as: abortion, euthanasia, embryonic stem cell research, and the death penalty and grow in understanding how such acts violate the basic human right to life. Club meetings include discussions, videos, guest speakers, field trips etc. Club members are encouraged to participate in the "Christian Service 4 Life" rally at USC in October and the "One Life LA" archdiocesan march in January.
Pre-Med Club (Meetings at lunch in H104, days TBD)
Moderator: Mr. Picard
The Pre-Med club offers students the opportunity to further their knowledge of the medical field, explore medical professions and increase awareness of modern medical issues. Key activities include visits to medical facilities, debates, guest speakers and on-campus research.

Real Estate Club
Moderator: Mr. Mutch
The Real Estate Club introduces students to the varying types of real estate businesses to prepare the students for career options in the future. During each meeting, the club members will hear from industry professionals while having lunch served in the room. The speaker will be a real estate professional from one of many different types of backgrounds and industry companies, often times being a Loyola Alumni. The speaker will give a 30-minute talk/presentation about his or her business and how they fit into the real estate world. Students will receive advice and information about opportunities for young people entering the real estate field and what type of work is required of them. The lecture will be followed by a 15 minute Q&A.

Roller Coaster Enthusiast Club
Moderator: Mr. Utley
Welcome to the Roller Coaster Enthusiast Club! A community in which you can learn about roller coasters across the globe and experience the many thrills of roller coasters throughout Southern California. All of this with the benefit of experiencing it with your fellow Loyola High School coaster enthusiasts.

Science Olympiad Club
Moderator: Mr. Noblejas
Science Olympiad is a national team competition in which students compete in 23 events pertaining to various disciplines in science, including earth science, biology, chemistry, physics, and engineering. The competition team will consist of 15 members split into groups of 2 and 3. Whether it’s building a thermodynamically efficient chamber or bouncing a laser off mirrors to reach a desired point, team members will be tasked with hands-on application of their discipline as well as written assessment.

SEAL (Solar Energy Activity Lab) (Meetings in H300, day and time TBA)
Moderator: Mr. Hairston
SEAL is a solar materials discovery program here at LHS but administered by Caltech. The goal of the program is to gain hands-on-research experience to find a solution to the global energy crisis, and we intend to convert sunlight into a renewable energy source by experimentally discovering metal oxide semiconductors that can split water into hydrogen and oxygen. The prerequisite to apply to become a member is completion of one full year of chemistry.

VII. Summary
a. Write 2-3 sentences summarizing your club for the Activities Booklet.
All requests for club status must be submitted to the Director of Student Activities by 8:15 on or before the due date. New club forms will only be accepted during Open Enrollment, Sept 2-6 and February 3rd– 7th. After submission of form, the Director of Student Activities will contact you regarding your status.
Academic Decathlon Team  
Moderators: Mr. Mikita and Mr. Perkins  
Encouraging intellectual development, the Academic Decathlon is a national high school academic competition that tests a variety of skills through objective tests, team quizzes, speeches, and interviews. Inclusive to students from all scholastic backgrounds, the team is made up of nine members, who are divided into three groups based on a range of grade point averages. The theme of the competition changes each year, as this year it is: In Sickness and in Health, An Exploration of Illness and Wellness. Members are challenged through a multidisciplinary study in the subjects, from the arts and sciences to economics. As a member of the team you will gain a better understanding of various academic subjects as well as improve in critical skills such as teamwork and leadership through challenging discussion and interaction.

Arrupe Leadership Team (Meetings every second Wednesday of the month in Center for Service and Justice)  
Moderator: Dr. Rodriguez  
The Arrupe Service and Justice Leadership Team serves as the core service and justice team for the school. The leadership team is divided into key leadership that addresses specific needs within Loyola and beyond. Each area leader has his / their own team to oversee. Some of the key events that we are engaged in include: Voices of Justice-Social Justice Week; Citizenship Classes; Campo Manresa Summer Program; Immigration Issues; ESL classes and support; Environmental / Eco-Issues; and Advocacy. During club sign-up week, representatives from the team will be present to answer any questions. Club leadership meets every second Wednesday of the month (or as needed) at lunch in the Center for Service and Justice, formerly known as Community Service. For more information, please contact Christian Zada christianzada@lhsla.org.

Association of African American Students (Meetings at lunch on Tuesdays in P208)  
Moderators: Mr. Adams, Mr. Brown, Mr. Yates  
The Association of African-American Students is an organization that seeks to broaden Pan-African awareness with its members and throughout the student body. The Association additionally seeks to promote tolerance and diversity within the school community as well as providing students with the opportunity to learn more about the African American culture through various events and activities.

Monogram Club  
Moderator: Mr. Mutch  
The Monogram Club is the student-athlete leadership organization at Loyola High School. Members are ambassadors of the school and their teams. In addition to athletic excellence, members are dedicated to academic achievement, spiritual growth, and positive leadership among their peers and teammates. Membership requires either a varsity letter or current member of a varsity team; a minimum GPA; and a recommendation by the coach. The moderator and the Dean of Men review club applications. Regular service includes welcoming and ushering duties at Masses, Open House, Home Football Games, Interchange, Baccalaureate, and Commencement.

Nic(A)migos Club  
Moderator: Ms. DeCastro  
The mission of the Nic(A)migos is to support the students at the Escuela Douglas Vasquez in El Transito, Nicaragua by conducting used uniform and school supply drives in LA on their behalf, and talk via Skype to students in El Transito, Nicaragua.

Outdoorsmen Club  
Moderator: Mr. Schmidt  
The Outdoorsmen Club invites Loyola Cubs to participate in weekly meetings discussing different Outdoors activities and strategies in preparation for Club Outings over weekends. Whether it be fishing or hiking, we flourish in the Outdoors and use this Club to escape to nature. Join us to continue a passion for the outdoors and to learn from one another about all that the wilderness has to offer.

Peace and Justice Coalition (Meetings in A301)  
Moderator: Mr. Portman  
This club invites students concerned with issues of social justice to learn about, discuss, and investigate local and global injustices. Members of the coalition are involved in educating the Loyola community and taking action against injustices to help bring about a more just and peaceful world. We engage in a variety of activities, including service projects, immersion experiences, letter writing, lobbying, non-violent protests, and taking part in and providing educational experiences. We also look forward to collaborating with the young women from Notre Dame Academy each year. As Pope Paul VI said, “If you want peace, work for justice.”

Pop Culture Club (Meetings Wednesdays at lunch in L003 and Fridays after school)  
Moderator: Mr. Uy  
This is a club for geeks, nerds, and all those who are interested in the amazing world geek culture. We will cover Game of Thrones to Star Wars, from the shows to the lore, and everything in between. If you are interested in exploring the wonder world of Geek Culture, come talk to us Wednesdays at lunch in room L003.
Math Club (Meetings at lunch in L112, day TBD)
Moderators: Mr. Romin, Mrs. Torales, Mr. Valverde
This club is for students who are interested in math and want to learn more about it and meet other high school students with similar interests. The club’s activities include weekly meetings where we investigate topics not normally encountered in the high school curriculum. We meet during lunch and solve interesting math riddles and play math related games. The club is open to any and all students at Loyola High School.

Meditation Club
Moderator: Mr. Porterfield
Experience the feeling of being through the practice of mindful awareness. Meditation Club is focused on improving health, wellness, and awareness. Join us and give yourself a new perspective.

Mighty Roar (Meetings Tues and Thurs after school during Football; Tues only during Basketball, always in M10)
Moderator: Mr. Celenza
The Mighty Roar is Loyola’s pep band, which includes drumline. Currently there are over sixty musicians who serve our athletes and perform at many community events such as home football/basketball games, Open House, and pep rallies. There are no audition requirements other than the ability to read music and play a wind instrument or drums. The “Roar” is primarily a first semester activity.

Model UN Club (Meetings will be every other Wednesday in P308)
Moderator: Mr. Perkins
Model United Nations is a simulation of the United Nations General Assembly and other multilateral bodies associated with international diplomacy. In Model UN, students step into the shoes of ambassadors from UN member states to debate current issues on the organization’s agenda. Before playing out their ambassadorial roles in a Model UN simulation, students research the issue that their committee will address. Model UN participants learn how the international community acts on its concerns about topics including peace and security, human rights, the environment, food and hunger, economic development and globalization. Members of the Loyola Model United Nations compete against other high school students in simulations designed to mirror the functions and proceedings of the United Nations.

Modern-day Poets and Composers (MPC) (Meetings at lunch Mondays in L201 & Wednesdays in Center for Service and Justice)
Moderators: Mr. Adams, Mr. Brown
The Modern-day Poets and Composers club’s key function is to examine the works of our most common modern-day poets and composers with evaluation of works, history of the artist, and reason for the work. We will also examine the history of the Modern-Day Poet and Composer movement starting from 1978 – present. This will include the simple styles of the 80’s and move into the more complex styles of the 90’s to present day. We will also look at how music connects with those poetic styles. LIVE PERFORMANCES.

Association of Latin American Students (ALAS) (Meetings at lunch in P306)
Moderators: Mr. Cendejas, Mrs. Collins-Pardo, Mrs. De Castro, Mrs. Moore, Dr. Rodriguez, Mr. Sustaita, Mrs. Torales
ALAS strives to provide the Loyola community with programs and activities that will foster a better understanding and appreciation for the cultural diversity of the Latinx community. ALAS will work with other student organizations, including other campus organizations, and individuals on issues of mutual concern and interest, especially those pertaining to diversity. ALAS will provide resources for the academic success of Latinx students at Loyola. ALAS will assist Loyola in the recruitment, retention, and graduation of Latinx students. ALAS will accomplish this by taking action, and interacting with the Loyola administration and other campus organizations on issues of mutual concern.

Association of Middle Eastern Students (Meetings in H303 at lunch every other Tuesday)
Moderator: Dr. Qazi
The Association of Middle Eastern Students is an organization where anyone is welcomed to share and experience elements of Middle Eastern culture: eating Middle Eastern food, discussing Middle Eastern pop culture, and learning about Middle Eastern history. Members share an interest in learning, discussing, and celebrating their unique Middle Eastern background and culture with the Loyola community.

Association of South Asian Students (Meetings Thursdays at lunch in P308)
Moderator: Mr. Zucker and Dr. Qazi
The Association of South Asian Students is a club for anyone who is interested in learning more about the South Asian culture. We will be doing multiple activities, such as Holy celebrations, to further our understanding of the various cultures of South Asia.

Aviation Club (Meetings Thursday at lunch in P308)
Moderators: Mr. Perkins, Mr. Mikita
Young pilots, or those interested in becoming private pilots, or those who are just curious about aviation should join this club in order to meet like-minded students. These flier cubs meet to plan activities, which in the past have included field trips, speakers, and even flight simulators. New ideas and new members always welcome.

Beach Volleyball Club
Moderator: Mr. Schaeffer
The Loyola Beach Volleyball team is the beachiest club at Loyola. The general purpose of the club includes the following: gain a greater understanding of the skillset of beach volleyball, learn a fundamental respect that we owe to the beach, and to represent Loyola High School positively in the realm of beach volleyball. The club meets at State Beach in Santa Monica to train for league matches against other competent programs such as Mira Costa, Palisades Charter High School, SAMO High School, Palos Verdes High School, and many others, all of whom we play on Saturdays in tournaments put on by the AAU.
Big Brothers
   Moderators: Mr. Schaeffer, Mr. Astran
This formational program serves as an initiation into Loyola High School by exposing the newest members of our community to the principles of service, brotherhood and lasting faith. In short, the Big Brother program, which includes leading the Freshman Retreat serves as the inaugural course in the never-ending quest to be men for and with others. Those selected students are enlisted to partake in this ministry of servant leadership as we aid in the welcoming of our new cub brothers. All seniors are invited and encouraged to apply. The process includes letters of recommendation, an essay component, and a check of every applicant’s discipline record. The selected seniors then begin a leadership-training program, which includes training in small group facilitation, interculturalism, and interpersonal skills to ensure their readiness and reliability to serve Loyola in one of the most coveted leadership positions on campus. These Senior Big Brothers strive to really Create Unity through Brotherhood and Service, which is the mission statement of the Big Brother Program.

Blue Pride
   Moderator: Mr. Walter
The Blue Pride Club is a service organization whose main responsibilities are prefecting at major school functions; these include Masses, games, Open House, Entrance Exams, Interchange, Parent-Teacher nights, and assisting whenever the school deems necessary. Each member will be given a pledge sheet at the beginning of each semester. Prizes are given at the end of every semester for completion of the card.

Bodysurfing Club
   Moderator: Mr. Schaeffer
The bodysurfing club is a club at Loyola that allows students to compete against each other in a sport that does not get enough recognition. The bodysurfing club is open to people of all levels of ability in the water. Join our remind to hear about meetings.

Chemistry Club (Meetings at lunch in H303 every other Thursday)
   Moderator: Dr. Qazi
If you enjoy chemistry and want to learn more about the different applications of chemistry in our world, then join the Chemistry Club! During lunchtime meetings, the club will explore thought provoking chemistry concepts and apply the concepts to solve ACS test problems, design and perform laboratory investigations, and offer tutoring session to current chemistry students in need of help. Members may have a chance to attend lectures by guest speakers to learn about where and how chemistry functions in our society.

Loyola Cycling Team (Meetings begin Oct 15 and practices begin on Dec 1 off campus)
   Head Coach: Jon Tanklage
Loyola Cycling Team – This club introduces students to the lifelong sport of Mountain Biking. Students with or without bikes, experienced or not, can join the club and start to learn about mountain biking in a way that encourages healthy lifestyles and an appreciation for the outdoors. Not only do current and past students of the Loyola Cycling Team learn to love the sport and continue to ride for fitness and competition after their high school years, but parents also become very involved as assistant coaches and volunteers for the team and the league we compete in.
When the racing season starts in February, all students that choose to, have the opportunity to compete with up to 100 other riders of their own ability, from about 70 local high schools, on mountain bike race courses that are tailored to high school students and their spectating families. There is an amazing positive vibe at the races unlike any school sport. For those not interested in competing, there are plenty of other ways to support our team. Check out www.socaldirt.org to learn more about the league we race in, or www.nationalmtb.org to learn how NICA has made mountain biking the fastest growing high school sport across the country.

Loyola Rising Club
   Moderator: Ms. Rice
The Loyola Rising club focuses on social justice advocacy as a way to counteract many of the social injustices and problems that pervade our community, country, and even world. The club examines these issues through group discussions, presentations, and projects that involve advocating for social justice and reform with representatives in Washington, D.C. and in our local community through service events and opportunities. The club seeks to keep the spirit of the Ignatian Family Teach-In for Justice alive and is instrumental in leading the annual Voices of Justice week. Club leadership meets every Thursday at lunch in the Center for Service and Justice, formerly known as Community Service. For more information, please contact senior, Aidan Osterman at roberto1sman@lhsa.org.

Loyola Rowing Club
   Moderators: Mr. Schaeffer
The Loyola Rowing Club is a co-curricular organization that is open to all interested students grades 9-12. The purpose of the club is to foster interest among the Loyola student body in the increasingly popular sport of rowing and to provide a group of fellow rowers for club members to share their experiences and interest in rowing with.

Loyola Student Marketing Organization
   Moderator: Mr. Astran
The Student Marketing Organization provides an outlet for students to express their creativity in the form of graphic design for the purpose of marketing both for print and for digital consumption. The club works through special projects proposed by members of the Loyola community- clubs, departments, offices - and designs logos, flyers, posters, and clothing art. Students are able to express themselves creatively and apply their knowledge of design to specific projects.
LHS Jazz Band (Meetings Tue and Thurs at 6:45 am in M10 during second semester)
Moderator: Mr. Celenza
This club is available to students who want to perform in the jazz genre. The group covers styles such as Funk/Fusion, Latin Jazz, Be-Bop, and Modal Jazz. Audition times will be posted in January and the requirements are, interpreting chord symbols, improvisation, sight-reading and jazz history. LHS Jazz performs at our annual "Ohm Festival" concert in May, Interchange, spring sport banquets and is primarily a second semester activity.

Loyalist (Newspaper) (Meetings in L205; days and time depending on publication schedule)
Moderator: Mrs. Gacina
The Loyalist, the official student newspaper of Loyola High School, is available in both print and online. The newspaper provides a monthly forum that serves the entire community of students, faculty, staff, and administrators. Student journalists are involved in all phases of newspaper production, including writing and editing, photography and graphics, and page design. Editors are also responsible for maintaining the newspaper's website at theloyalist.org. A regular staff of journalists executes the production of the paper, but there are additional opportunities for occasional contributions from student reporters each month, so all are welcome at meetings. Meetings typically take place before school in L205, and will be announced to the student body a few days in advance.

Loyola Car Club
Moderator: Mr. Gallagher, Mr. Jackson
The Loyola Car club is for individuals who are interested in all types of cars: Exotic, Jdm, Muscle, Classic and any type known to man. The club will spend its time talking about cars, working to network within and throughout the car industry, meeting new people, and attending all types of car related events. We will continue to assist the True Gentleman’s Club annually with organizing our Spring on-campus car show. All types of car love and interest is welcome, from the common onlooker to the hardcore everyday fanboy.

Children's Hospital of LA Club
Moderator: Mr. Truong
Loyola’s Children’s Hospital Los Angeles Club gives students the opportunity to represent Loyola by becoming active ambassadors of CHLA. Our goal is to create a partnership between Loyola High School and Children’s Hospital Los Angeles through guest speaker talks, open discussions, and participating in CHLA events. Children’s Hospital Los Angeles Club allows Loyola students to become more involved in the community through various CHLA events and volunteer opportunities.

Chinese Club (Meetings in P308)
Moderator: Mr. Mikita
Come join us for Chinese food, movies, games, and culture. All new members (Mandarin classes or not) are encouraged to take part in our many activities. Every semester for Chinese New Year and Mid-Autumn Festival, we host a food sales event, and take group trips to various cultural sites. 中文俱乐部太好了！Translation: Chinese Club is great!

Choir (Meetings after school in M13)
Moderator: Mr. Speciale
Singers and pianists are especially encouraged to apply. The Choir is the premier singing ensemble on campus. A Loyola Choir member understands that excellence comes from preparation. Because of this philosophy, the Choir is tapped to sing very public and prestigious events. Last year alone, we gave the World Premiere of a new Alma Mater composed for Loyola High School, sang for 2,400 people at Our Lady of the Angels Cathedral, and other beautiful events. We sing all styles of music and offer magnificent concerts to the community. A highlight of the year is our annual Christmas Lessons & Carols Service which hundreds of people have made their annual Christmas concert tradition. The choir has sung on television, in Disney Hall, and both Avery Fisher and Carnegie Halls in New York City. The after-school choir is open by audition only. Schedule an audition with Mr. Speciale who will give you the requirements. If you have sung in a choir before or play an instrument, especially piano, you are a great candidate for the Loyola Choir!

Civil War Reenactment Club (Meetings Tuesdays at lunch in L217)
Moderator: Mr. Line
Throughout the year, Civil War reenactments take place at various venues throughout Southern California. These reenactments are intended to provide spectators insight into the American Civil War, the most important event--bar none--in our country's history since the Revolution. The Civil War Reenactment Club will be able to take part in these events and they will play several different roles. They could be a simple soldier or surgeon and will be able to provide the public with a much better appreciation of the trials, tribulations, and sacrifices that were involved in transforming a simple union of states into a nation.
Club Japan (Meetings Monday at lunch in H202)  
Moderators: Mrs. Kawamata  
Club Japan welcomes those students who share an interest in the ancient and pop culture, entertainment (video games and anime), and food of Japan. This multicultural group of students “screens” animation movies, and plan and prepare popular Japanese recipes.

Cubcast Podcasting Club (Meetings Tuesday at lunch in L003, concurrently with Broadcast)  
Moderator: Mr. Uy  
CUBCAST Club is a club where students come together not only talk about their favorite podcasts, but also create a weekly podcast show about Loyola, the students, faculty, and alumni. Together we will create a podcast where we will talk about weekly current events at Loyola, interview students, faculty, teacher, and/or alumni.

Cubs United (Meetings at lunch (day of week TBD) in Center of Service and Justice - room 504)  
Moderators: Mrs. Moran, Ms. Morales  
WE ARE ALLIES! Changing hearts and minds... Working together towards a society that is INCLUSIVE of all INDIVIDUALS: of all sexual orientations, races and ethnicities, diverse abilities, family structures, religions, and socio-economic backgrounds. ALL ARE WELCOME!

CCC (Curious Catholic Club) (Meetings Wed at lunch in A303)  
Moderators: Mr. Ebiner, Mr. Johnson  
Curious Catholics, a religious formation club at Loyola High School using a variety of diverse activities, is committed to the process of honest inquiry about various faith issues. Members are allowed to freely explore the teachings of the Catholic faith. The inquiry is to be free, carried out with the guidance of its club moderators, and undertaken with an ultimate fidelity to the normative teachings of the Catholic Church.

Cyberpatriot Team (Meetings at lunch in L310)  
Moderator: Mr. Romin  
CyberPatriot is the National Youth Cyber Education Program. At the center of CyberPatriot is the National Youth Cyber Defense Competition. The competition puts teams of high school students in the position of newly hired IT professionals tasked with managing the network of a small company. In the rounds of competition, teams are given a set of virtual images that represent operating systems and are tasked with finding cyber security vulnerabilities within the images and hardening the system while maintaining critical services in a six-hour period. No prior experience or knowledge is necessary. All are welcome.

Junior Ground Crew  
Moderators: Mr. Schaeffer, Mr. Annarelli  
The Freshman Retreat requires a substantial effort from the school community – faculty, staff, administrators and exemplary students are enlisted to partake in this ministry of servant leadership as we aid in the welcoming of our new cub brothers. Members of the JGC assist with many aspects of the retreat weekend, both behind the scenes and in more conspicuous capacities. Candidates for this group should understand that this requires a serious time and energy commitment. Applications will be available at the beginning of September in Campus Ministry.

Junior State of America Club (JSA)  
Moderator: Mrs. Burkholder  
A club for political awareness, leadership, public speaking, citizenship, and anyone hoping to shape the future of our democracy, the JSA club is Loyola’s chapter of the Junior State of America. As the largest student-run organization in the country, JSA is designed to provide a non-partisan forum for discussions about local, national, and international issues — amongst students within a school as well as with interested students from other schools. Members may enjoy everything from multi-school conventions, election watch parties, informal discussion and structured debates, to event guest speakers, social activities, leadership opportunities and elite pre-college summer programs. Do these sound like activities you’d enjoy? Then we’ll see you at our next meeting!

Kino Teens (Meetings every Tuesday at lunch in Center for Service and Justice)  
Moderator: Dr. Rodriguez  
Loyola High School’s Kino Teens is part of a network of high school youth groups whose primary role is to support immigrant rights on the border and beyond. The first Kino Teens group was founded at Lourdes Catholic School in Nogales, Arizona. Our group provides opportunities for direct service to deported migrants, participation in educational activities / conferences, and advocacy visits to local legislative offices through the Ignatian Family Teach In in Washington, D.C. Kino Teens Loyola is available to visit other schools or organizations to share our work with immigrants and in educating others about the related issues, especially as they pertain to Trans-Border realities. Club leadership meets every Tuesday at lunch in the Center for Service and Justice, formerly known as Community Service. For more information, please contact Lucas Yen at lucasyen@lhsla.org.

Korean American Student Association (KASA) (Meetings every Wednesday at Lunch in L317)  
Moderator: Ms. Lee, Mrs. Han  
Are you interested in Korean culture? Film? Food? Language? Or anything else? If so, KASA is the place for you! KASA is a place where students get together to appreciate Korea and various elements of Korean culture. You don’t have to be Korean! Since Loyola High School is located right next to LA’s very own Koreatown, understanding the many aspects of the culture is so important! We will explore Korean films, Korean snacks, traditional games, or simply have discussions about the culture. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to come!
Intramural Sports (Teams compete at lunch)  
Moderator: Mr. Legant  
Under the leadership of the Intramural Moderator and Student Council, a schedule and regulations for the intramural sports program are established. Organized tournaments in flag football, basketball, soccer, ultimate frisbee, and other sports will be played throughout the year. Tournament dates will be announced in Loyola’s daily announcements. Any student may participate in these tournaments.

Investment Club (Meetings in L216)  
Moderator: Mr. Mutch  
The Investment Club is a student run organization that sets out to introduce students to the world of stock trading. Club participation will teach students the functions of the global market economy and how to read and understand earnings in order to achieve success. Students participate in a virtual stock simulation that teaches them about the risks and success of the Stock Market competing for a prize.

John Malloy Broadcast Club (Meetings Tuesdays at lunch L003)  
Moderator: Mr. Uy  
The John Malloy Broadcasting Club is a great opportunity to learn and experience the world of broadcasting. As a part of the club, you will learn how to record and edit both audio and video. Members of the club will attend various sports events and other activities and report them via audio and video.

Junior Classical League (JCL) (Meetings Wednesday after school until 4:00 pm in H202)  
Moderators: Mrs. Kawamata, Mr. Truong, Dr. Vella, Mr. O’Callahan  
All Latin students are encouraged to join Junior Classical League (JCL) because of the many social, academic, and artistic opportunities it provides outside the classroom. During the year the Cubs prepare to compete at the annual CJCL convention in the spring. The convention is an academically challenging event as well as an exciting and fun time to meet and compete with Latin students from all over Northern and Southern California in regional, state, and national competitions.

JCL Quiz Team (Meetings Wednesday after school until 4:00 pm in H202)  
Moderators: Mrs. Kawamata, Mr. O’Callahan  
For the ambitious classics student, Loyola has the JCL Quiz Team. This elite group of Cubs will study various subjects from advanced grammar or mythology to Roman history and culture in preparation for the state certamen (quiz team) competition in the spring.

El Camino (Yearbook) (Meetings at lunch in P302: Tues for Editors, Thurs for Editors and Contributors.)  
Moderator: Mr. Roberts  
EL CAMINO is the student-produced yearbook of Loyola High School. Students participate in all phases of production, including copy, photography and design. Students within grades 10-12 are welcome to contribute with permission from Mr. Roberts.

Filmmaking Club (Meetings at lunch on Mondays in Room P203)  
Moderators: Mr. Ochsner  
Interested in making a movie? As the name of the club would suggest, you’ve found the right place! We look at the elements of screenwriting, producing, directing, cinematography, crew functions, and editing, all to move toward productions where club members can operate in any role they would like to gain experience on a film set. Whether your interested in film as a hobby or career, the club is a great place to get started or continue your enthusiasm for making movies. Members are required to give time towards the production of a short digital film and attend weekly meetings to learn about making movies and to discuss upcoming projects.

First Generation Student Association (FGSA) (Meetings at lunch in A201, meeting days TBA)  
Moderator: Ms. Liberotti  
The First-Generation Student Association offers a welcoming community where students whose parents did not get a 4 year college degree in the US, connect with each other, get information important to succeeding at Loyola, and in college. The club presents many opportunities throughout the school year such as: presentations by university admissions officers, collegiate summer programs, SAT/ACT test preparation, information regarding AP and Honors courses, financial aid presentations for college (FAFSA), and outside scholarships. The FGSA also offers leadership opportunities for freshman-senior members. As a leader, you steer the direction of the Association. Make your mark on Loyola! Come join your fellow Cubs in the FGSA! See Ms. Liberotti in the Counseling Center for more information or with any questions!

FRC Robotics Team 3408 Killa-Byte Cubs (Meetings TBD)  
Head Coach: Mr. Cacnio and Mr. Lanza  
Loyola’s FIRST Robotics Team, the Killa Byte Cubs, pursue their interest in engineering and robotics by competing in the annual FIRST Robotics Competition (FRC). The team is tasked with designing, building and programming a robot in just six weeks for the FRC. Team members have the opportunity to learn from professional engineers, learn to use sophisticated software and hardware as well as compete and cooperate in alliances and tournaments.

French Club (Meetings Tuesdays at lunch B101)  
Moderator: Mrs. Crawford-Dixon, Mr. Ebiner  
No French required! Le Club Français celebrates the cultures of French-speaking nations throughout the world through a variety of activities including inter-club matches of Tchoukball and bocce ball, crépe parties, French-language games, music, and weekly meetings over lunch. The Club is open to everyone wishing to celebrate culture--any culture. Join today—devenez membre aujourd’hui!
Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

Moderator: Ms. Liberotti
The FBLA team is a national organization which allows students to explore in depth many topics of business, Corporate America, entrepreneurship, and technology. In essence, FBLA offers students opportunities to further their business knowledge.

Gamer’s Club (Meetings every Friday in the Student Center)
Moderators: Mrs. Cassutt
The Gamers Club is a group of students who love everything video game related. We discuss video games and the gaming industry itself. We play games after school every Friday – come and join us!

Geocaching Club (Meetings every other Monday in B101)
Moderator: Mrs. Crawford-Dixon
Geocaching is a high tech navigational game in which geocachers search for hidden containers throughout the world. In this club, students can learn more about geography and navigation, as well as solving puzzles in order to find the location of geocaches.

Gladiator Club (Meetings Wednesday at lunch, 3rd floor hallway between Ardolf & Hannon)
Moderators: Mr. Crofut, Mrs. Kawamata
"AVE IMPERATOR, MORITURI TE SALUTAMUS." An enthusiastic "Hail emperor, we who are about to die salute you!" starts off gladiator club battles. Equipped with homemade gladiator swords, Latin and barbarian students come together for friendly single-elimination tournaments.

Great Films Club
Moderator: Mr. Goepel
The Great Films Club hopes to introduce Loyola students to many genres of movies. By watching such films and having discussions about them, students will gain a better appreciation for different types of movies, as well as a greater understanding of American pop-culture and the history of American and world film.

Hannon Theatre Company
Moderators: Mr. Wolfe, Mr. Robles, Mr. Speciale
The Hannon Theatre Company consists of two interdependent groups that work for many weeks at the beginning of each semester and coming together two weeks before opening night to become one collaborative team. Both groups are led by one of the most responsible student positions found on campus -- the HTC Stage Manager. HTC is traditionally the only co-educational program on campus. Talented young women from all over Los Angeles join our men because of HTC’s reputation as the finest private high school program in Southern California. HTC is a truly college preparatory program dedicated to the academic, creative, and spiritual development of its students and committed to providing the most professional caliber theatrical experiences possible. For more than twenty five years, the Hannon Theatre Company has provided Loyola High School with thrilling theatrical productions.

HTC Stage Crew: "Crew" is responsible for every aspect of building the set, implementing the design using wood, metal, power tools and paint. Crew members can specialize in lighting and sound technology, learning every aspect from hanging and focusing instruments to programming and running complex computer design applications. Much like college-level theatre majors, students are responsible for all of the technical aspects of each production. The Running Crew which performs backstage during productions is chosen from those showing dedication during the construction and preparation phase. Crew meets in Hannon Theatre three days a week (W, Th, F after school) and is supervised by a team of theatre professionals, headed by the theatre professionals who work at UCLA and USC. Crew recruits new members twice a year at the beginning of each new production period. If a student is involved in a semester-specific sport or activity, he may still join Crew for the other semester each year. Sign-ups are in September and February.

HTC Production Cast: The actors performing in the Fall Play and the Spring Musical have auditioned at the beginning of each semester and rehearse in the Black Box -- Berendo Music Building, room M4 four days a week (M, Tu, Th, F at 3:45 PM, ending times vary throughout the rehearsal process period) before joining the crew every day in the theatre during tech and performance weeks. Two weeks before Opening Night, the cast joins the crew in Hannon Theatre for more intensive rehearsals. If you are interested in acting in an HTC production, please make sure to listen to announcements for each semester’s audition dates, usually held in early September and January.

HTC Spring Musical Orchestra: In addition to the year-long teams, talented musicians join the company and a team of professional guest artists to play in the orchestra. Members are added through both audition and invitation, and rehearse during the second semester for the performances in May. For more information regarding days and hours of rehearsal for the HTC Spring Musical Building, Room M13.

Hillel Club (Meetings are held in the Counseling Conference Room, day and time TBD)
Moderator: Mr. Farland
Hillel is a group for but not limited to Jewish students on campus. Members share an interest in learning, discussing and celebrating Jewish culture, spirituality and history. In the development of our young men, it’s important that they have a place to explore their spiritual side. Hillel provides a safe place for students to discuss their own spirituality and other issues facing Jewish people in America and abroad. Students are encouraged to ask questions and engage in conversations about anything pertaining to the Jewish faith. The moderator entertains incorporating a wide variety of outlets which provide context for students exploring Judaism.