

## SDSS ATHLETIC TEAMS

TITLE OF GROUP	STAFF CONTACTS	DESCRIPTION	WHO CAN JOIN & HOW	MEETINGS (WHERE & WHEN)
Badminton (Jr. & Sr. Boys and Girls)	A. Farrell	Compete at tournaments February through April to qualify for YRAA and OFSAA games.	See Mr. Farrell to try out for team. Tryouts start in February in the gym.	Practices are in the gym, 3 x week (various days and times) February to April.
Basketball (Boys Junior)	A. Farrell	Develop basketball skills through practices and league games	Gr 9-10 male students can tryout	Practices 3x / week morning and/or after school between Nov to Feb
Basketball (Boys Senior)	J. Hammond, L. Pendergast	Develop basketball skills through practices and league games	Gr 11-12 male students can tryout	Practices 3x / week morning and/or after school between Nov to Feb
Cross Country Team	M. Atkins, J. Bocking	Team members get a training schedule for the season with different daily workouts/training to prepare them for several invitational competitions and YRDSB/OFSAA races.	See coaches for parent letters/forms and attend practices outside the weight room after school.	Various weekdays after school outside weight room. Sept to Nov
Field Hockey (Girls Varsity)	S. Avveduto, S. Bubnic	Fall sport team that allows students to learn field hockey skills and compete in games	Any grade 9-12 female student can tryout	TBD
Golf (Jr & Sr)	L. Devos	Students develop golf skills and participate in various golf tournaments	Tryouts in the fall	Practices and tournament days and times TBD
Hockey (Boys Varsity)	J. Hewitt, R. Edmondson	Players get a chance to compete against the best teams in the region and province in both league and tournament play.	Grade 9 - 12 boys. All players must attend practice and maintain a good standing in school	Practices take place every Wednesday at 7:30 a.m. from October to February. Contact coaches for game and tournament schedules.
Hockey (Girls Varsity)	C. Giles, B. Shankman	Develop hockey skills through practices and league games	All female students can tryout.	5-6 Morning Practices @ 7:30am between October and February
Rugby (Girls Varsity)	T. Labar, J. Hewitt	Girls are introduced to Seven's Rugby in the fall and Fifteen's in the spring.	Varsity Teams - Tier I and II. Must attend practices consistently and maintain good standings in school.	Fall and Spring Practices: 3 times/week at 7:30 am
Rugby (Boys)	R. Edmondson	Provide an opportunity for students to learn the game of rugby. Players get a chance to compete against the best teams in the region and province in both league and tournament play.	Grade 9s and 10s play on the Junior. Grade 11s and 12s play on the Senior team. All players must attend practice and maintain a good standing in school.	Practices take place at 7:30 in the morning 2 to 3 times per week. Practice days vary from week to week. For 7s rugby (fall) the season runs from September to October. For 15s (spring) the season runs from April to early June. Contact coaches for game and tournament schedules.
Soccer (Girls Varsity)	S. Avveduto, S. Bubnic	Students develop their soccer skills through practices and league games	Female students grade 9-12 are welcome to tryout.	Tryouts and practices will be in the spring
Track & Field	S. Jimmo, M. Atkins,	Athletes train with the team for up to 3 events of their choice	Open to all students, no experience necessary, must attend practices 2 x / week minimum	First meeting prior to March break, practices offered Mon-Thurs after school, 3-5 track meets / season
Volleyball (Sr. Girls)	S. Jimmo, T. Labar	Players get the opportunity to refine their volleyball skills and compete against teams in York Region	Girls in grades 11 and 12 can try out for team. Those who make the team must attend practices and games and must maintain a good standing in classes.	Practices take place 3 times a week in addition to 8-10 league games.
Volleyball (Jr. Girls)		Players get the opportunity to refine their volleyball skills and compete against teams in York Region	Girls in grades 9 and 10 can try out for team. Those who make the team must attend practices and games and must maintain a good standing in classes.	Morning practices take place 3 times a week in addition to 8-10 league games.
Volleyball (Sr. Boys)	S. Jimmo	Players get the opportunity to refine their volleyball skills and compete against some of the best teams in York Region.	Tier 1: must attend practices consistently and maintain good marks in school.	1 to 3 practices a week, 1 to 2 games a week, 2 to 3 tournaments a season.
Volleyball (Jr. Boys)	S. Jimmo, L. Jaanusson	Players get the opportunity to refine their volleyball skills and compete against some of the best teams in York Region.	All grade 9-10 boys. In order for boys to play on the team they must tryout. If they are successful in making the team the boys are responsible for attending practices and games. The players are also responsible for maintaining good standing in their courses.	Practices take place 1-3 times a week in addition to 8-10 league games. 1-2 tournaments / season
Ultimate Frisbee Team (co-ed)	Lau	Students will have the opportunity to improve their skills and compete in league games. The season will conclude with a tournament at the end of May	All interested male and female students, gr 9-12, can attend tryouts in March.	All TBD: Season runs from end of April to end of May, possible clinics/clubs to gauge interest in Feb, practices likely after school 2-3 times/week

## SDSS CLUBS & COUNCILS

TITLE OF GROUP	STAFF CONTACTS	DESCRIPTION	WHO CAN JOIN & HOW	MEETINGS (WHERE & WHEN)
Artists Club	O. Webb	Get artistic tasks for school completed, foster love of arts. Plan show, Art Battle, Music Art Night, work on school murals.	Through art teachers.	Rm 2000 during lunch, as needed
Athletic Council	T. Labar	Organize intramurals, spartan clothing, athletics PR.	Anyone welcome. Just come!	ROOM 1022, Meetings as needed
Breakfast Club	M. Milet,	Provide students an opportunity to have a healthy breakfast and snacks throughout the day. Daily preparation of snacks.	Students in Community Classes	No meetings. Food is made available in the Main Office.
Chill Zone Room	Community Partners	Students can visit room during lunch periods 3 and 4 to play games, do puzzles, participate in art activities, learn about wellness and connect with other students.	Any student is welcome. This is a drop in activity room.	Room 1003H Most days during period 3 and 4 lunch. Check schedule on door.
Grade 9 Computer Gaming Club	T. Piechota	Up to 22 students can compete against each and in teams with LAN games such as Minecraft and Rocket League	All grade 9 students welcome. See mr. P in Rm 1066 for signup. Club starts in mid October.	ROOM 1066 Drop in Tues and Thurs during period lunch.
DECA	J. Katz	Through conferences and competitions, DECA instills professionalism and prepares youth to respond to authentic business cases and market demands.	All students welcome, but sign-up must be done before 1 October 2019.	Wednesdays after school in room 2034.
Dixieland Band	D. Chiavaroli	Music group with focus on Dixieland genre.	Invitation only	Fridays after school
Dungeons & Dragons Club	K. Sale	Students meet to participate in Dungeon and Dragons games.	All students welcome	Wednesdays and Thursdays during lunch in room 2020
Eco Team	B. Bacola	Team members collaborate	All students welcome	Fridays at lunch in Room 2063
Equestrian Club	S.Barber	To promote the care, riding and enjoyment of horses	Any interested students should see Mrs. Barber in Room 2026 for more information	TBD. Lessons are at "Pause Awhile Stables" in the fall and spring (8 sessions)
Equity and Inclusivity Club	J. Falbo, J. Phillips	Students will learn about equity and inclusivity issues inside and outside of our school environment. They will also learn correct terminology such as: bias, stereotypes, discrimination, etc. and help to educate staff and students as well as help to create a more equitable and inclusive school environment for ALL students.	All are welcome	Meet monthly 1st Tuesday of each month during common lunch in room 2024
ESP	J.Dragert, M.Estabrooks	To promote a safe and positive school environment on issues that are relevant and important to students and the community. This is a board organization that works in conjunction with the York Regional Police & other community partners.	Everyone is welcome.	ROOM 2064, Thursdays, 12:20 pm
Games Room	M. Schissler, C. Vroom	Come out and play cards, chess or a variety of board games to de-stress and make friends!	Show up any Thursday at 12:20 in room 2056	Weekly Open to everyone!
Gay Straight Alliance	K. Sale, D. Turpin	Connect with students to foster a school community that is inclusive and supports diversity.	All students are welcome	Once the club is formed for the year, they will decide which day to meet. Meetings will be after school in room 2020
HOSA (Future Health Professionals)	M.Schissler	Students prepare for healthcare related competitions with the potential to earn scholarships.	Grade 11 and 12 science students.	see Mrs. Schissler in room 2062 for details- registration closes Dec 22. Google Classroom; wai3qg
Improv Team	R.Butters	Students meet to prepare to compete in the "Canada Improv Games" and other performance opportunities	Open to all grades, auditions in September, successful students will be on the team	Practices from September to March, Tuesdays at lunch and Thursdays after school (to 5:00 PM) Tournaments are at night and on weekends.
Math Club	L. Onisto	Students will meet to prepare for the Waterloo Math Contests	All students welcome	Thursdays, after school.
Me to We Club	M. Estabrooks, R. VanKampen	Students will act locally to make a change within their community and globally focussing on issues children face in the world today: poverty, access to clean water, access to education, human rights... the students select the initiatives.	All students are welcome.	Wednesdays at 12:20pm in room 2064. Info on meeting will be available in our Google classroom. Students can sign up using enrollment key: h3eb6b
Music Council	D. Marlatt	Organize events for Music Department	Music students, grades 9 to 12, application process.	Every other Monday after school in room 1050.
Presidents' Council	M. Przemieniecki, S. Baumgartner	Representatives from all clubs in the school meet to share and collaborate on events being planned for the school.	Student council reps and student leaders from various clubs	Room 1003H, Second Monday of every month after school
Prom Committee	L.Galati, P. Veljanoski, D. Dolmage, L.Pendergast	Plan Prom.	Students in grade 12 can apply for positions, as well as a few grade 11s.	Meetings begin in February
Robotics Club (Junior)	T. Piechota	Learn and develop skills in the field of robotics	Gr. 9 or 10. See Mr. P in room 1066	Room 1066, Tuesday after school (day may change depending on student's schedules)
Robotics Club (Senior)	T. Piechota	Build and program robots to compete at Regional and Provincial skills challenges	Gr. 11 or 12. See Mr. P in room 1066	Room 1066, Thursday after school (day may change depending on student's schedules)
Science Club	N. Camara S. Avveduto	Students participate in competitions at universities around Ontario. They have the opportunity to learn how chemistry, biology and physics can be used to solve problems.	Open to students in grades 9 to 12, drop by to join.	Room 2052 Thursdays at 12:20 pm.
Small Music Ensembles	D. Marlatt, D.Marlatt, D. Chiavaroli	Students participate in small ensembles and present at school and community events.	Interested music students	TBD by music teachers
SNL (Student Network of Leaders)	L.Taccone	Students assist with school transition initiatives and events that require student leaders.	Student leaders nominated by teachers.	Meetings occur as needed and are communicated through Google Classroom.
Spartan Swing	D. Chiavaroli	Jazz band.	Music students, grades 9 to 12, audition or invitation.	Thursdays, after school.
Starbooks Cafe Book Club	J. Bocking,	Read and discuss selection of Canadian young adult books. Begins mid-October when the list of reading selections for the year is released.	Open to all students, sign up in the library	Bi-weekly meetings on Mondays in the library, during lunch periods.
Student Council	M. Przemieniecki, S. Baumgartner	Fundraising, events, student representatives.	55 members in total:9 executive members, 46 on Spartan Senate.	Exec: Wednesday, 2036 Spartan Senate: 1054, Fridays at lunch.
Tech Club	C.Chartrand	Students are introduced to SDSS's lighting and sound system	Sign up in Guidance office	Drama room mornings and after school as needed
Well Being Team	R.Luciani, N.Camara, J. Foran, C.Chartrand, L.Galati, K.Seon, R.VanKampen, R.St.Gelais, C.Bortolin, A. Hatanaka	To improve our school climate through the promotion of physical, social and mental well-being.	Interested students, contact Ms.Luciani or Ms. Camara.	Meetings are bi-weekly on Monday's during lunch at 12:30 in room the office Conference Room

Please note that all the above information is subject to change based on teacher availability and/or student needs and interest.