

HIT THE CLUBS

Clubs & Groups Fair helps students find community in common interests

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What draws Spartans to a booth at the clubs fair? Candy? Posters? People?

Max George ('28) said, "I was drawn to certain clubs because of the really big posters and the people who were persuading me. I was also more attracted to clubs with good candy options, like my favorite, Hi Chews."

Asha Peckosh ('27) said, "Clubs that have really good signs and that look really put together are the most compelling to visit because it shows the time and energy that the leaders put into their clubs."

Clubs and Groups fair took place Sept. 4 in the Lilly Courtyard. Learn more about clubs and groups starting on pp. 160.



EXPLORING EXTRACURRICULARS. Students convince Fiona Lambert ('28) to join Beads for Humanity with the help of some delectable treats. Photo: Sophie Karmaliani

How do you feel about clubs and groups fair?



"It's unique because you get to show a little bit about yourself through a club."
Luwam Mebrahtu ('26)



"The fair was really good because it had a lot of options for a lot of different interests."
Miles Rorvig ('29)



"It feels very special because you have to opportunity to make a small difference by being a club leader or participant."
Olivia Fox ('28)



SIGN-UP SNAPSHOT. Graham Waibel ('28) signs up for different clubs at the clubs fair. "The clubs fair is a great way to showcase the energy and creativity of the SPA community. It gives students a chance to explore new interests, connect with others who share their passions, and take initiative in shaping campus life," Waibel said. Photo: Sophie Karmaliani



COURTYARD COMMUNITY. Izzy Middlebrook ('28) and Gisele Parnell ('28) promote their new club, DECA. They created DECA this year to "promote leadership and create opportunities to learn about entrepreneurship," Middlebrook said. Photo: Sophie Karmaliani



PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE. Peony Steele ('27), Olivia Andres ('27), and Eliana Moser ('27) try to convince Leo Johnson ('27) to join their club; Future in Medicine. Steele and Andres started FIM last year, and they continue to lead it this year. "I love FIM because it guides a lot of students who are interested in medicine. It is a great space for people to connect and encourage a bright future in health," Steele said. Photo: Eva Johnson



FASHION FUN. Zoe Wagner ('28) signs up for the Fashion Club at the clubs fair. Fashion Club aims to boost creativity and talk about new trends, while still making people aware of the fast fashion that is all around us. Wagner said that she signed up for the Fashion Club because she was "really interested in participating in a club that promotes creativity." Photo: Sophie Karmaliani



"I have played piano for 10 years," Francis Hannah ('28) said.

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