**PALMER SECONDARY SCHOOL**

**EXTRACURRICULAR CLUBS 2024-2025**

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| **Club/Activity** | **Description** | **Sponsor(s)** | **Room** |
| 3D printing club | We will do some 3D modeling in this club using Blender, and then materialize it by 3D printer and apply it in life, or use it to discuss the design concepts of aviation machinery. | Mr. Cumming  Mr. Williamson | Room 141 |
| Anime and Japanese Culture Club | Our goal is to create a friendly, engaging, and positive environment for Anime / Japanese culture fans within the Palmer community to meet with each other, build friendships, and share their interests. We hold a variety of events regularly, events include: anime sharing, cool facts sharing on Japanese culture, and making Japanese-style food. For more information, follow our Instagram account “@rcp.anime.club”. | Mr. Rikukawa | Room 203 |
| AOOC Palmer (Art of Our Community) | 1. Supporting organization projects – bookmarks, diaper donations, clean sips 2. Art Programs at local community centers – working with volunteers to teach art/poetry/literature lessons.   Palmer AOOC is a club dedicated to student art and community service from volunteering to bringing out the student artistry. | Mr. Rikukawa |  |
| Asian Culture Club | Share different Asian culture, food, movie, etc. | Ms. Vining | Room 120 |
| Ayumi Desserts Club | 1. To fundraise money to donate money to foodbank 2. To teach people how to make desserts | Ms. Liang | Room 119 |
| (Electric) Bass Club | Beginner bass player? Want to learn bass? This club is open to bass players of all level and we will help students get started. Students will be able to select the songs they want to play and our workshops will cover music theory and bass technique. | Ms. Irshad  Ms. Chan | Room 138 |
| Badminton Learning Club | 1. To provide a platform for all Palmer students to learn about badminton. 2. Promoting the sport in the school community. | Ms. Chan | Room 138/139 |
| Breakfast Club | Breakfast Club operates on a daily basis to provide free breakfast to any student who wants it. | Ms. Epp | Palmer Central |
| Computer Club | Welcome to the Palmer Computer Club! You are all welcomed here no matter your skill level. For beginners we offer to teach python, develop your basics and for experienced coders, we will prepare you for CCC competition. Our club is a supportive community for everyone. We can also assist you with Mandarin or Cantonese. Bring your curiosity and enthusiasm, we hope to code together with you!  For more information please visit our website: https://palmercomputerclub.wixsite.com/information | Mr. Rikukawa  Ms. Chen | Room 136/203 |
| Cantonese Club | We aim to spread awareness, understanding, and appreciation of Cantonese culture. We strive to create a sense of community for Cantonese and non-Cantonese speakers while allowing exchange between cultures and further communication in Palmer. | Mr. Kwan | Room 206 |
| Chess Club | R.C. Palmer’s Chess Club is a welcoming community where chess enthusiasts of all levels can learn, play, and mingle. As a club that has thrived for many years, we aim to create a space where students can practice and perfect their chess skills in a variety of engaging activities, including lessons, games, and more. | Mr. Amega | Room 122 |
| Christian Club | Connecting Christian students and anyone who wants to learn more about Christianity. Students from all cultural and religious backgrounds are welcome to join is as we discuss Christianity and related topics in a safe and inclusive space :) | Mr. Shim | Room 106 |
| Craft 4 Cause | Creating crafts/items that benefit local charities, organizations, and people in need. Giving back to the community while expressing creativity. | Ms. Vining | Room 120/123 |
| Crochet Club | Our goal is to bring people interested in yarn related crafts together. We provide workshops and fundraisers to further spread yarn crafts. | Ms. Vining | Room 120 |
| Debate Club | To promote general / techniques in debate & public speaking. Members can join tournament & conferences throughout the school year to advance their skills. | Mr. Yu | Room 208 |
| Drama Club | The RCP Drama Club focuses on developing skills such as expression, improvisation, and confidence through fun games and activities. We also hold events like our annual variety night show, which is an excellent place to display the talents of our Palmer students. | Ms. Komad | Room 137 |
| Eco-Team | Eco-Team aims to promote environmental sustainability through various events & activities. | Ms. MacDonald | Room 133 |
| Fashion Club | Sewing/making things, students come to express their creativity in a textiles field we come together to enjoy our time and inspire others. | Ms. Vining | Room 123/Textile room |
| Foreign Film Club | To enhance cultural and cinema perspective through the analyzation of diverse films. We will host discussions regarding opinions on the stories portrayed on screen. | Ms. Chen | Room 136 |
| First Responders Club | The First Responders Club provides medical attention for everyone in the school through a small group on on-call members. We also strive to teach students about first aid and medical emergencies. | Mr. Liang | Room 107 |
| R.C. Palmer Gaming Club | Allow students to practice gaming and explore new games. Gather as a community to socialize with students who have the same interests. We plan to host competitions occasionally. | Mr. Cumming  Mr. Williamson | Room 141 |
| Garden Club | Garden Club helps to beautify the grounds of the school by maintaining gardens near the south parking lot and in the southwestern part of the school grounds. Students have the opportunity to learn about plants, help take care of the school, and improve their mental well-being through the peaceful act of gardening. | Ms Epp | Room 121 |
| GLEAM Foundation @ Palmer | We represent the GLEAM Foundation in Palmer focusing on self-awareness, personal growth, and positive connections among peers. Our activities encourage open communication and aim to provide guidance and learning. We also strive to help individuals understand themselves and others. | Mr. M. Kwan  Ms. S. Barnes | Room 113/206 |
| Global Network | Organize impactful events, fostering a culture of awareness and activism among members and the school community. Activity examples include: Santa’s breakfast, Night Market, Valentine crush cans etc. | Mr. Pablico  Ms. Sangha | Room 205 |
| Grad Committee | Promote school spirit among grads. | Ms. Gill | Student Council Room |
| Helping Hearts | The primary goal of Helping Hearts is to unite the youth in our community. To support this goal, we aim to change make and innovate. Helping Hearts looks forward to creating/supporting events in our community to make “the Change We See”. | Ms. A. Chen | Room 134 |
| Hope For Kids Project | Fundraising for kids who have cancer | Mr. Li | Room 112 |
| Jazz Mentorship Club – Treble Makers | Palmer jazz band will be running as a mentorship program this year. Senior jazz students with performing experiences will be mentoring junior students interested in developing their jazz playing ability. We will still be a performing group with opportunities such as winter concert, Palmer Spotlight, Festivals (TBD) and more! | Ms. Chan | Room 139 |
| Jewelry Club | The Palmer Jewelry Club is a group for individuals with a passion for all things jewelry! Our club aims to nurture creativity and craftsmanship among students through jewelry design and making. | Ms. Vining | Room 123 |
| Journalism Club | The Journalism Club is in charge if writing up the daily announcements, presenting the daily PA announcements, and ensuring that the daily announcements are sent to the office staff for publication on the school website. The club also publishes a newspaper a few times per year.   * Morning Announcements * Productions highlighting the school community * Newspaper (Palmer post) | Ms. Cheng  Ms. Epp | Room 118 |
| Kwantlen University | Science Challenge with many students across BC. | Ms. Erfan | Room 113 |
| Living Beyond the Horizon | The purpose of Living Beyond the Horizon is to provide scientifically accurate information and education around mental health topics, encourage conversation and work to erase stigma about mental disorders. | Ms. White | Room 204 |
| Mangas and Drawing Basics Club | We integrate art with ACG culture to offer a professional and creative learning platform. We’re committed to help everyone to enhance art skills, explore the endless possibilities of manga art through diverse courses. | Mr. Rikukawa | Room 203 |
| Math Club | Prep for math contests, homework help, fun math games. | Mr. Kwan  Ms. Wang | Room 109/206 |
| Model UN Club | Model UN Club is for educating people about how Model UN works, and to improve people’s public speaking skill. Eventually, we will also be encouraging people to join conferences. | Mr. Pablico |  |
| Multicultural Club | Multicultural Club’s goals are to promote diversity and inclusion and to help foster a vibrant multicultural school community in Palmer. The Club will do this through conducting cultural events & workshops, making food, doing presentations, watching movies, etc. It will also be a platform for students to leadership, opportunities, express themselves, and help discover more of the world and themselves! | Ms. Zhao, Ms. Liang | Room 202 |
| Nutri-Kin | Nutri-Kin is a club focused on the topics of food insecurity and healthy living. We plan to run lunchbox, a program that aims to offer food to students who may not have a warm, nutritious lunch during school. We also hope to run food for Thought, an educational program that would teach elementary students about food insecurity. | Ms. A. Chen | Room 134 |
| Palmer Dance Squad | A team that provides a supportive environment where everyone can explore and develop their dance skills. | Mr. Lam  Ms. Komad | Room 108 / Lounge |
| Palmer Soccer Fan Club | Watching soccer marches during lunch and engaging in meaningful discussion about the sport. A way for students to find friends with mutual interests and branch out. | Mr. Pattern |  |
| Peer Tutoring | The Peer Tutoring group operates on an as-needed basis. Students Complete a 4 part training series at the beginning of the school year to be certified as peer tutors. Once they are certified as tutors, they will be informed of tutoring opportunities that become available. Tutors have a choice to earn volunteer hours or be paid $20/hour. Students looking for a tutor should have their parents/guardians complete the form listed on the Palmer Website to request a tutor. | Ms. Epp | Room 121 |
| Programming Club | * Provide an outlet for students to learn different coding languages (Starting with Python) * Work on problem together * Do challenges, preferably in teams (Winning team wins prize) * Join public hackathons (as teams) | Ms. Irshad | Room 111 |
| Purely Fiction (Literary Club) | To inspire, improve writing skills, and promote a creative environment for anyone interested in Literature! In this club, we will be writing stories, poems, making graphic novels, participating in book discussions/Reviews, reading short stories and learning about authors and their writing styles. | Mr. Pablico | Room 105 |
| Quantum Blue Dragonboating Club | What’s synonymous with friends, teamwork, multi-grade bonding, muscles, and fun? Dragon Boat is coming back to our Palmer Community! A wonderful opportunity for all enthusiastic students to build their friendship, to build their leadership skills, to strengthen their communication skills…Interested? Contact Ms. Zhao at [jZhao@sd38.bc.ca](mailto:jZhao@sd38.bc.ca) | Ms. Zhao | Room 202 |
| R.C.P. Chemistry Club | The purpose of Chemistry Club is to teach students chemistry 11 and 12 concepts that are seen in the Avogadro Exam run by the University of Waterloo. The coaches will prepare the general members for the contest through lessons, demos and labs. | Ms. Shim | Room 106 |
| R.C. Palmer Club Français | Bonjout et bienvenue au Club Français! Are you passionate about French, or just need a hand with your French homework? Club Français is the place just for you! Join us for weekly meetings packed with fun French-themed games, interactive activities, and exciting presentations on everything from French history and music to movies and cuisine. Follow us on Instagram at @rcpclubfrancais for all the latest updates, events, and more! À bientôt! | Mr. Amega | Room 122 |
| R.C. Palmer Table Tennis Club | To provide a platform for all students that wills to play table tennis. Coaching may be offered from time to time. Priority is to train more team members | Mrs. MacDonald | Room 133 |
| R.C. Palmer Science Club | - Science Club is a club that guides students through essential labs while providing equipment & protections.  - Science Club aims to increase student involvement with science and provide more freedom in learning. | Mr. John Shim | Room 106 |
| Rainbow Club | The Rainbow Club is a place for LGBT2SIA+ students and allies to get together on a weekly basis in a safe space. The membership of the club can decide how we choose to use our weekly lunch time. | Ms. Mashkoor  Ms. Epp | Room 104 |
| RCP Case Camp Club | We are a club that provides lessons and experience to people interested in business. We also provide resources for people competeting in case competitions. | Mrs. Luccock | Room 201 |
| RCP VENTURE | RCP VENTUURE raises awareness of business competitions and provides essential business knowledge to students of Palmer and youth. Through fundraising activities and discussion, members will enhance their entrepreneurial skills and gain valuable insight into various industries. The club aims to prepare students for success in business competitions and the business world. | Mr. Li | Room 135 |
| Robatic Club (Bucket Robotics) | Robatic Club competing/challenging other teams across BC.  In Robotics club you can expect collaborative experiences where you work with others to design robots from the ground up You will set hands on learning and play with various teach. We want Robotics Club to inspire students and help them pursue their interest in stem. We also want Robotics and stem opportunities be available to everyone. In the future, we would also hope to participate in competitions! | Ms. Erfan | Room 113 |
| Rubik’s Cube Club | To host weekly meeting sessions for Palmer students to connect with peers who are passionate about Rubik’s cubes. Students can also improve Rubik’s cube-solving skills under the guidance of senior students with experience. | Ms. Chen | Room 136 |
| Scraps N’ Smiles | To promote the repurposing of materials in arts. We will journal and craft using textiles and at home scrapes, allowing for like-minded artists and environmental lists to work together. | Ms. Vining | Room 120 |
| Soul-Made | It is business blub. Our goal is to encourage students to build their creativity and entrepreneurial skills by making products that will obtain our customer’s attention. We will sell their products that they made during semesterly markets, and the money made will be donated to B.V. Children’s hospital. Projects could be pottery, baking/cooking & more! During meetings, we will have activities planned out for them to develop skills like decision making or problem solving. Our club is a place where every member has a chance to contribute & grow in the business environment that we will create for them. | Ms. Morit | Room 128 |
| Strive 4 Impact | Support and assist disadvantaged children in Palmer and improve student experiences. | Ms. Fensom | Room 127 |
| Student Voice Club | Through integrating student voices with RC Palmer, we aim to support our community by providing opportunities for discussion featuring special guests, e.g. teachers, professors, counsellors etc. | Ms. Hagarty  Ms. O’Leary | Room 135 |
| The Helping Hands Club | The Helping Hands Club is a club that aims to provide service to our school community through a variety of different tasks, such as Spotlight on Palmer or other school events, as well as any help teachers may need. | Mrs. O’Leary | Room 135 |
| UBC Physic Olympics | Every year teams from high schools across B.C. will compete with medals at UBC. | Ms. Erfan | Room 113 |