

KINGS HIGH SCHOOL



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Kings Student Activities Guide

Club	<i>Academic/Special Interest</i>	Advisor
Academic Quiz Team	The Academic Quiz team (AQT) is an ECC league sponsored team. The AQT plays a league schedule versus six other ECC schools. The ECC league tournament culminates the season with the winner given a berth in the State of Ohio AQT tournament. The format of the matches consists of four rounds with different academic categories such as American literature, world history, math and physical science. A league match consists of two varsity and one junior varsity match. Match questions are answered both in teams and individually with a buzzer system. A freshman squad will be formed if there is enough interest.	Alex Garvin
Anime Club	Students watch anime episodes as well as create their own. They design skits, characters and stories. Students stay abreast of upcoming events in the world of anime.	Jan Thomann
Art Club	The Kings Art Club is open to any KHS student interested in art. Students may join to further improve an individual portfolio or to work with others on group projects. The purpose of the club is to provide its members with a variety of artistic experiences that would not ordinarily be taught or experienced in the art classes. Art Club members are also involved in artistic community service projects.	Carrie Cooke Angie Guilfoyle
Choir	The Kings High School Choral Department (KHSCD) consists of four performing ensembles: Chamber Choir, Women's Chamber Choir, Women's Chorale, and our Men's glee club "All the Kings Men." All of these offer course credit along with opportunities outside of the classroom that in the past have included performances with Sinclair Community College, the Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra, and an appearance on WCET's Cincinnati High Notes. Come Sing at Kings!	Hope Milthaler
Color Guard	The Kings High School Color Guard is a section in the award winning Marching Band. The color guard is responsible for portraying visually the music and the wind that percussionists are playing. They do this by dancing and with the use of equipment including flags, rifles and sabers. The guard performs with the marching band at competitions, football games and parades. Auditions are held in May. All color guard members are required to attend all summer practices if they are not on vacation. There is also a <u>mandatory</u> 2-week band camp to attend in July. Rehearsals are held every Monday and Wednesday evenings during school. Football games are Friday nights. Competitions are on the weekends. Color guard members are required to schedule Guard Class in their 1 st semester class schedule. They will practice every day in this class.	Jennifer Maegly
Community Service Committee	The Community Service Committee is a small, dedicated group of students who organize large scale volunteer projects for Kings students.	Tim Guilfoyle

Dance Team	The Kings High School Dance Team consists of girls from the 9 th through 12 th grades. Tryouts for JV and Varsity teams are held each Spring. Team members are required to attend a dance camp in July. Practices begin in mid-August and continue through the school year until February. The Dance Team performs at Knight Madness, Men's and Women's basketball games, pep rallies, parades, dance competitions and community events. More information can be obtained through the Kings Athletic Department.	Deborah Smith
Drumline	The Kings Drumline is a group that provides high-energy percussion and drum performances. This group is part of the Marching Band's organization but practices and performs throughout the year and at different events and competitions.	Mike Maegly
Fall Play	This activity commences with auditions in late August or early September. Rehearsals begin immediately, and performance dates range from early November to early December. Rehearsals are typically after school two to three days per week. An attempt is made to expose students to a variety of styles during their four years of high school, ranging from comedy to tragedy, modern to classical. Students learn how to be watchable and listen-to-able in addition to gaining leadership and teamwork skills.	Peter Moore
Fellowship of Christian Athletes	Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) is a student-led organization designed to bring together students who share common beliefs. It is a non-denominational, national organization that works to create student leaders who exhibit strong moral values and high character.	Andy Olds Jason Shields Kelly Shields
Film-Making Club	Students are involved in the creation of films.	Kelly Shields
Film-Watching Club	Film-Watching Club is a fun student-oriented organization that watches and evaluates films of various genres and eras. The club also debates the impact of films in today's society. This group meets at 2:45pm every Tuesday in Mr. Wright's room. Students create a film at the end of the year based on the movies watched during the year.	Frank Wright
French Club	French Club is open to students who have taken French in the past, or they may be currently enrolled in French 1,2,3,4 or 5. The purpose of French Club is to promote an interest in French culture and cuisine. Students do various activities centering around "La Vieille de Tourssaint", (all Saints' Eve), (Christmas), Mardi Gras, etc. Since food is such an important aspect of the French way of life, students go to a French restaurant to experience authentic French cuisine in the Spring.	Kathy Daggy
German Club	German Club provides opportunities to enhance students' awareness of the German-speaking culture and to encourage further study of the German language. We celebrate Germanic holidays, offer community service opportunities and in the Spring we visit a restaurant that displays the German heritage.	Christine Koenig

Jazz Band	<p>The Kings High School Jazz Band is a performance ensemble that consists of band and orchestra members. Auditions are held in November and rehearsals are held twice a week after school. The KHS Jazz Band performs at various concerts and jazz festivals throughout the year. For more information contact Mr. Polen at 398-8050 Ext. 12011 or jpolen@kingslocal.net</p>	Joe Polen
Knight Times	<p>Knight Times is an online student publication. It is composed of articles written by KHS students on various topics and covers the entire Kings community. Any student can submit articles or other material for use on the website. However, only students who participate in Journalism I and Journalism II (or students who regularly attend after-school work sessions) will be permitted to work on design and layout. The web address is www.kingshighschool.net</p>	Ryan Weber
Marching Band	<p>The widely-renowned and award-winning KHS Marching Band is a performance group that practices as a part of the marching band class. Students in this organization perform at football games and also across the state and beyond as part of their competition schedule.</p>	Mike Maegly
Mock Trial Team	<p>The Mock Trial team is a group of students who have developed a love and appreciation for the inner workings of the law. These students meet in order to study different cases and attend competitions during which members enact different roles as attorneys, witnesses or bailiffs.</p>	Elisa King
Montage Magazine	<p><i>Montage</i> magazine is an annual publication of Kings High School which features excellent examples of student writing and artwork. The members of the <i>Montage</i> staff are responsible for evaluating and selecting the literary and art pieces that are included in the magazine, and members participate in its design and layout. This student team is open to all high school students who have an interest in creative writing and/or graphic design.</p>	Andrea Nichols
Mathematics Team	<p>The Kings High School Mathematics Team is for students who enjoy mathematical problem solving. Team members participate in various mathematics contests, which can lead to scholarships or improve your chances of being accepted to a competitive college mathematics program. To be a member in the coming year you must be nominated by your current mathematics teacher, or be a current member of the mathematics team.</p>	Margie Coleman
National Honor Society (NHS)	<p>The mission of NHS is to foster academic and personal growth as well as to provide members with leadership and service opportunities in order to serve the greater good. The NHS is comprised of sophomores, juniors and seniors with a GPA of at least 3.75. They must possess four characteristics: integrity, positive behavior, cooperation with fellow students, teachers, and administration, and outstanding ethics.</p>	Elisa King Sandra Thomas

Pep Band	The KHS Pep Band is a school-spirit organization that performs at selected school events. The music performed by the Pep Band is high-energy and fun-filled and works to make KHS a great place for fans.	Jennifer Reeder
Philanthropy Club	This organization is fully dedicated to reaching out to the community, giving our students new opportunities for experience through volunteering and achieving the honor of giving selected charity groups money to better advance the community. The goal of the club is to teach students about giving, while giving the opportunity to raise money, give grants and get involved with local non-profit groups on the board level.	Rob Robison
Ping Pong Club	This club meets every Friday after school. Matches include singles and doubles play to ensure everyone receives sufficient playing time. There is an end of year tournament.	Emily Cowan
Self Defense Club	Students are taught how to develop their confidence while learning how to defend themselves. Students acquire proper defensive skills, enabling them to ward off most personal assaults. The club meets after school in an area that gives the participants plenty of room to safely practice.	Jorge Gonzalez
SHARK Club	<u>S</u> tudents <u>H</u> elping <u>A</u> nimal <u>R</u> escues at <u>K</u> ings – This club meets the first Wednesday of every month. SHARK's mission is to raise awareness in the Kings community about issues dealing with animals such as animal testing, animal cruelty, pet training, pet care, strays and animal testing. This group also seeks out support of our lawmakers to improve the lives of all animals.	Erin Bean
Ski Club	The Kings Ski Club is open to all 7 through 12 grade students at Kings. The group travels after school to Perfect North Slopes four Wednesdays in January (except exam week) if weather permits. This clubs offers the student an opportunity to ski or snowboard at every level--beginner to advanced. Information is distributed at the end of September/early October and is posted on Junior High and High school websites. Pray for snow--lots of it!	Don & Kim Danko
Spanish Club	Spanish Club provides opportunities to enhance students' awareness of the Spanish speaking culture and to encourage further study of the Spanish language. The club celebrates Hispanic holidays, makes various crafts and goes to a Spanish speaking restaurant where the students can practice Spanish and eat an authentic meal.	Lindsay Six Valerie Eldridge

Spring Musical	The Spring Musical is a part of the drama department's yearly agenda. Students will create the set, work the stage, and complete the performance under the director's guidance. This exciting activity presents opportunities for a great experience for students of varying talents and interests.	Scott Hayward
Spirit Club	Spirit Club's goal is to promote school spirit while in school, at sporting events and pep rallies.	Andrea Wheeler
Symphony Orchestra	The Kings High School Symphony Orchestra is open to all students in grades 9 – 12 who play violin, viola, cello or double bass. This performance-based class meets daily to develop aspiring musicians. Being a part of this organization will provide you the opportunity to perform in various settings such as pit orchestra, full orchestra, and small ensembles. The KHS Symphony Orchestra also travels to participate in competitions and music festivals. For more information contact Mrs. Southern: Ext. 12025 or rsouthern@kingslocal.net	Rana Southern
Student Government	Student Government is an elected group of students in all grade levels who help plan and organize many events and fund-raisers throughout the school year. Students in this group will participate in such tasks as the planning of Homecoming, Holiday activities, and other events. Students in this organization are expected to meet the academic and behavioral standards established by the group.	Melanie Contratto
The Catalyst	The goal of The Catalyst is to build connections and strengthen student leadership among the student body as well as the Kings Community. Members serve as the welcome committee for students who are new to the district as well as any community member who enters the high school. Members are also in charge of the senior class pre-graduation program, Baccalaureate. Members focus on community/school outreach, service, and fundraising.	Tammi Snell

Winter Guard	<p>The award winning Kings High School Winter Guard is a team with National Recognition. The Winter Guard is an extension of the marching band color guard giving the members a chance to perform during the winter when band is over. Winter Guard is just the guard members performing a show indoors on a basketball court to recorded music. We are members of the Tri-State Pageantry of the Arts winter guard circuit and Winter Guard International (WGI). Members receive intense training on dance and equipment and compete across the country. The season runs from late November to mid April. All competitions are on the weekends. There are no auditions for this team; members must have been in the Fall Color Guard with the Marching Band. For further information contact Jennifer Maegly, Director of Guards, at J.F. Burns Elementary</p>	Jennifer Maegly
Yearbook	<p>The KHS yearbook is an annual publication that aims to capture the athletic, social, and academic stories of the school year. Students must participate in Journalism I and Journalism II to design, produce and contribute to the yearbook.</p>	Kelly Shields

Athletics Offered At Kings High School

- **Baseball - (Men)**
- **Basketball - (Men and Women)**
- **Bowling - (Men and Women)**
- **Cheerleading - (Women)**
- **Cross Country - (Men and Women)**
- **Dance - (Women)**
- **Football - (Men)**
- **Golf - (Men and Women)**
- **Gymnastics – (Women)**
- **Indoor Track - (Men and Women)**
- **Lacrosse - (Men and Women)**
- **Soccer - (Men and Women)**
- **Softball - (Women)**
- **Swimming - (Men and Women)**
- **Tennis - (Men and Women)**
- **Track - (Men and Women)**
- **Volleyball - (Women)**
- **Wrestling - (Men)**

Team	<i>Athletics</i>	Head Coach
Baseball	This is an interscholastic, OHSAA-sanctioned sport offered to men in grades 9-12. KHS has teams competing at the Freshmen, JV, and Varsity levels during the spring.	Kevin McClung
Basketball	This is an interscholastic, OHSAA-sanctioned sport offered to men and women in grades 9-12. KHS has teams competing at the Freshmen, JV, and Varsity levels during the winter.	Mike Stevens (M) Matt Knott (W)
Bowling	This is an interscholastic, OHSAA-sanctioned sport offered to men and women in grades 9-12. KHS has teams competing at the JV and Varsity levels during the winter	John Karabinus
Cheerleading	This is an interscholastic team offered to students in grades 9-12. KHS has teams competing at the Freshmen, JV, and Varsity levels. Teams are established for fall and winter seasons to perform at football and basketball games as well as any selected competitions and school functions.	Cheryl Poggi
Cross Country	This is an interscholastic, OHSAA-sanctioned sport offered to men and women in grades 9-12. KHS has teams competing at the JV and Varsity levels during the fall.	Jim Brant Lynn Brant
Dance	This team performs primarily during the winter sports season at JV/Varsity men's and women's basketball games. Throughout the school year, the team performs at competitions, Knight Madness, pep rallies, parades, recitals, art shows and community events	Deborah Smith
Football	This is an interscholastic, OHSAA-sanctioned sport offered to men in grades 9-12. KHS has teams competing at the Freshmen, JV and Varsity levels during the fall.	Andy Olds
Golf	This is an interscholastic, OHSAA-sanctioned sport offered to men and women in grades 9-12. KHS has teams competing at the JV and Varsity levels during the fall.	Ben Tilton
Gymnastics	This is an OHSAA-sanctioned sport that currently has two gymnasts.	Kelly Wones
Indoor Track	This is an interscholastic sport offered to men and women in grades 9-12 and takes place during the winter season.	Jim Brant Lynn Brant
Lacrosse	This is an interscholastic sport offered to men and women in grades 9-12. This sport takes place during the spring. KHS has teams competing at the JV and Varsity levels.	Ron Cheek (M) Ann Delehanty-Koenig (W)
Soccer	This is an interscholastic, OHSAA-sanctioned sport offered to men and women in grades 9-12. KHS has teams competing at the JV and Varsity levels during the fall.	Erik Poggi (M) Stacy Hoffert (W)
Softball	This is an interscholastic, OHSAA-sanctioned sport offered to women in grades 9-12. KHS has teams competing at the JV and Varsity levels during the spring.	Mary Ellen Bonner
Swimming	This is an interscholastic, OHSAA-sanctioned sport offered to men and women in grades 9-12. KHS has teams competing during the winter sports season.	Ann Albert
Tennis	This is an interscholastic, OHSAA-sanctioned sport offered to men and women in grades 9-12. KHS has teams competing at the JV and Varsity levels. Women compete during the fall while men compete during the spring.	Sarah Borton Joe Freudenberg
Track	This is an interscholastic, OHSAA-sanctioned sport offered to men and women in grades 9-12. KHS has teams competing at the JV and Varsity levels during the spring.	Jim Brant Lynn Brant
Volleyball	This is an interscholastic, OHSAA-sanctioned sport offered to women in grades 9-12. KHS has teams competing at the JV and Varsity levels during the fall.	Amanda Schuler
Wrestling	This is an interscholastic, OHSAA-sanctioned winter sport offered to men in grades 9-12. KHS has JV & Varsity teams.	Casey Abrams