

## INTERSCHOLASTIC SPORTS

Interested 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students may try out for our interscholastic sports team. For girls there is soccer, volleyball, basketball and softball, and boys there is football, soccer, basketball and baseball. Students may also try out for teams at the high school (Boys' Indoor Track, Boys' & Girls' Golf, Tennis & Swim). Students must be academically eligible, have parent approval, pass the medical exam and meet the NYS physical requirements.

### Fall Programs

- Soccer
- Modified Cross Country
- Volley Ball (Girls)
- Football (Boys)
- Cheerleading (Girls)

### Winter Programs

- Basketball
- Wrestling (Boys)
- Ice Hockey (Boys)

### Spring Programs

- Track & Field
- Lacrosse
- Softball (Girls)
- Baseball (Boys)

**Most clubs start in October.**

*Be sure to listen to daily announcements for meeting times and locations.*

# Albert Leonard Middle School



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ALBERT LEONARD MIDDLE  
SCHOOL

*Excellence and Equity*

*Yet Another Assignment:*

# Join In & HAVE FUN!

## SCHOOL CLUBS AND

## AFTER-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

It is important to be involved in school activities. Those students who get involved will find their school experience enriched. A wide variety of after-school activities are offered to those who are interested. ALMS offers many ways for students to pursue their individual interests and talents outside the classroom.

## Co-Curricular Descriptions

### Accounting Club

Students meet weekly and learn basic accounting skills and hone their problem solving skills. The accounting club provides a check and balance for over 18 different ALMS accounts.

Mr. Konigsberg, **Thursday**

### Art Club

This club will focus on free art forms and creativity, including seasonal crafts, fine art and school decorations. All art fans are welcome.

Ms. Suplina, **Wednesday and Friday**

### Audio Visual Club

Members volunteer their time and expertise by assisting at Student Council activities, the school play and at special school events.

Mr. DeMicco, **Monday and Wednesday** (A.M.)

### Backstage Pass

Build an amazing world. Flip the scenery and create the props. Bring order to chaos. Be the master of magic.

Ms. Clark, **Tuesday & Friday** - Art Rm. 171

### Bulletin Board Club

Students help our building look even nicer. The Bulletin Board Club designs beautiful bulletin boards throughout the school.

Ms. Breslin, **Wednesday**

### Chess Club

The Chess Club enhances critical thinking and improve analytical reasoning while the students engage in a friendly game of competition. The Chess Club is open to all students.

Ms. Yeterian, **Tuesday and Thursday**

### Creative Writing Club

Creative Writing Club is a freeform club with the purpose of allowing students, with an interest in telling stories, the outlet to express their creative thoughts in a way they might not have been able to otherwise. The club will serve to foster those who have interest in learning the ins and outs of building a fictitious world where anything is possible. The only limit would be their own imagination.

Ms. Balbona and Mr. Torchon, **Friday**

### The Electronic Music Club

Gives students the opportunity to learn how music is recorded using today's technology. Students will complete several projects, including an original music production, movie score and sampling projects.

Mr. DeMicco, **Tuesday**

### Frisbee Club

Learn how to play Ultimate Frisbee in a fun and non-competitive setting. Teaches skills and the fun of the flying disc.

Mr. Konigsberg, **Friday**

### Girls, Inc.

Inspiring all girls to be strong, smart and bold.

Ms. Washington

### Guitar Club

Offers students the opportunity to learn the rudiments of guitar, and continue to hone skills and promote other aspects of performance.

Mr. Manning, **Thursday**

### Jazz Club

Jazz Band is for any music students who want to play or learn jazz, including beginning improvisation.

Mr. Anderson, **Wednesday**

### Jenga Club

Game based club. Jenga theme.

Ms. Hill, **Thursday**

### Lego Robotics Club

Students work with the Lego robots, learning how to create programs and build machines that perform tasks. The students participate exciting competitions throughout the region.

Mr. May & Mr. Grosvenor

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

### Lights, Camera, Action!

Improvise. Master your audition skills for PAVE auditions. Join all aspects of play production. Ms. Clark, **Wednesday**

### Makerspace Club

Giving students an opportunity to explore, experiment and create with a variety of materials. Ultimately, the purpose of makerspace is to identify a problem and create something new to fix it.

Ms. Paul, **Friday**

### Opening Doors Club

A welcoming environment for students who are exploring gender identity and orientation. All are welcome, especially those who wish to learn more about mutual respect, acceptance, and collaboration.

Ms. Gold, **Tuesday**

### Pay it Forward Club

Students who wish to work on improving their community and giving back are welcome to participate. From beach cleanups to Toy Drives, this is the club for giving it back!

Ms. Yeterian, **Wednesday**

### PAVE Art Prep

8th grade students that would like to try out for PAVE Art at NRHS can get a jump start here at ALMS. We meet weekly to work on a portfolio and practice for the PAVE audition in March.

Ms. Dellaripa, **Thursday** - Rm. 93

### PAVE Vocal Club

Extra help preparing for NRHS PAVE vocal auditions.

Mr. Manning, **Wednesday**

### PAVE Orchestra Club

If you want to improve your playing and musicianship, and also prepare for higher level orchestras, then this is the club for you! PAVE Club is also open to 6<sup>th</sup>- and 7<sup>th</sup>-grade students who want to participate in the NYSSMA festivals, and will offer these students opportunities for solo preparation and coaching not provided during the regular school day. Sight-reading fun, ensemble experience, and unique performance opportunities will also be provided.

Ms. Stancarone, **Tuesday** (on even days, Day 2/4)

### Photography Club

Students explore their interests and learn creative strategies, to become more "tech savvy" in promoting themselves as well as their work in photography and visual expression.

Ms. Louis; **Thursday** - Rm. 208

### Rubiks Cube Club

Join us as we explore the color and changes of the celebrated Rubiks Cube. Students learn the algorithm, and finesse their speed and solving capabilities.

Mr. Manning, **Friday**

### Scrabble Club

How do you spell F-U-N? Scrabble, of course! Students meet weekly to play this timeless word game that hones spelling and critical thinking skills.

Ms. Breslin

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### **PAVE Band**

Extra help preparing for NRHS PAVE band auditions.

Mr. Anderson, **Tuesday**

### **Sets & Events**

Students create banners & posters for school activities.

They also help plan, build and paint the sets for our school plays. They will also create works to submit for poster contests & art show.

Ms. DelGuercio, **Tuesday & Thursday**

### **Shake It Club**

"Shake It" is a lively and fun club. In our club we sometimes dance to fun videos. We also share choreography that we know from our own dance experience and teach it to other students. We learn, practice, and show off our moves—or shake it! We dance to pop, hip-hop, EDM, k-pop, and other types of music. It is a great environment for making friends and having a good time. We welcome students of all experience levels from beginner to advanced. Shake off the day's stress with us after school. Comfortable and safe sneakers are a necessity for this club. Come join us this school year!

Ms. Wendling, **Tuesday & Thursday**

### **Show Biz Kids**

Each year students are encouraged to participate in the school musical production. Rehearsals run afterschool through the play's production in March.

### **Step Club**

Students will practice their skills in a routine and put on a performance.

Ms. Dixon, **Friday**

### **Student Council**

Student Council is the students' representative body in school affairs. The Student Council initiates and promotes numerous activities during the academic year.

Ms. Granata, **Wednesday**

### **Theater in a Trunk**

Be a part of a team within the world of the show. Be brave and confident. Share your magic with the audience.

Ms. Clark, Monday and Thursday, Junior Aud.

### **Uno Club**

Game based club, Uno theme

Ms. Hill, **Fridays**

### **Yearbook Committee**

The Yearbook staff works all year to develop the year's edition of the Leonard Leopard. Students from all grades work on layout, copy, editing and fundraising.

Ms. Breslin

### **Where in the World is Ms. Bongo?**

Students work together to solve clues and mysteries. Some are based on Geography and Social Studies themes.

Ms. Bongo, **Tuesday & Thursday**—Rm 103

### **Intramural Sports**

6th, 7th and 8th grade boys and girls. All activities are supervised by staff members. Examples of Intramural activities include flag football, kickball, volleyball, weight room, cup stacking, jump rope, basketball, and softball.

Gym Teachers **Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday**

### **Anti-Bullying Club**

Ms. Dennis, **More Information TBD**

### **Model UN at ALMS**

**More Information TBD**

# Albert Leonard Middle School Co-Curricular Clubs Draft Schedule - Fall 2019

<b><u>ALMS Co-Curricular Clubs</u></b>				
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>
AV Club (A.M.) Theatre in a Trunk     *Anti-Bullying Club *Girls Inc. *Model UN *Scrabble Club	Chess Club Backstage Pass Lego Robotics Opening Doors PAVE Orchestra Shake It Club Where In The World Is Ms. Bongo?	AV Club (A.M.) Bulletin Board Jazz Club Lego Robotics Lights, Camera, Action Club Student Council The Electronic Music Club	Accounting Club Chess Club Jenga Club Lego Robotics PAVE Art Prep Pay It Forward Photography club Theatre in a Trunk Shake It Club	Backstage Pass Creative Writing Club Frisbee Club Makerspace

Final Schedule will be released after all clubs have  
finalized their weekly meeting dates

**Bulletin Board Club (223)** Meets on an “as needed” basis.

**Show Biz Kids (Aud)** will have a separate schedule, of multiple days.

**\*Days TBD**