

German Club

Advisor: Sara Fahey

Membership Criteria: Students in 9-12th grade who are taking German or have completed German I and German II.

Goals: The goal of the German club is to promote learning a foreign language and culture while fundraising for the ultimate goal of traveling to Germany.

Budget: Cost of a 10 day trip to Germany per student in 2017 was \$3200.00 plus spending money and tips.

~Students fundraise to off-set the cost of the trip.

~ Added Cost: Bus fees to transport students from Northome to the airport in Minneapolis and picking them up again and bringing us home.

Note: I used my personal vehicle to take students to and from St. Paul 2015 and 2017.

Planned Activities:

On September 22nd. 2021, German I, II and III students will travel to the Timberwolf Restaurant in Marcel to celebrate October Fest and partake in a German Meal.

The German Club has a pizza fundraiser that we do in the fall to raise money for future travel to Germany.

Typically we have a roller blading fun night with the Science Club held at the school gym shortly after the pizza fundraiser. We eat any extra pizzas that are leftover and roller blade.

In February, German I, II, and III students and German Club members sell candy bars to raise funds for their Germany trip.

Meeting: Meetings are usually held during lunch time. Meetings for fundraising usually take place after school. Example: Pizza fundraiser is done in the school kitchen after school and meeting to discuss Germany trip are planned for after school.

Tentative Meeting Schedule

Bar Bingo Training Meeting W/ parents	10/6/21		
Meeting w/ students	10/11/21	November 2021	December 2021
Informational Meeting about Trip	Spring 2023		
Student Activities	Dinner 9-22-21	Nov. 2021	December 2021

Student Participation: 18 students participated in 2015-2016
 17 students participated in 2016-2017
 18 students participating in 2018-2019
 Approximately 20 students have not had meeting
 19 students participating in 2020-2021

Time: approximate additional hours as an advisor follow:

Pizza fundraiser: time making pizza and boxing up approximately: 6 hours

Candy bar fundraiser: 3 hour

Rollerblading at the school: 3-4 hours

Timberwolf Restaurant 6 hours

Travel with students: 10 days, June 24th through July 3th around Germany, Switzerland, and Austria. (2023 trip)

Time spent on fundraising accounts and doing Bar Bingo to raise money for extra fees for the Germany trip, such as tips for bus drive and group leader and spending money.

(12-15 per month with Bingo)