

## 2011-2012 RNE Clubs & Activities

**\*Please note that club/activity information is subject to change. This information will soon be posted on the RNE website. Please write your name on the lines below the club that you are interested in; this does not mean you are signed-up, it just lets the club/activity sponsors know who is interested. Thanks!**

**Peer Helpers** – A group of 5<sup>th</sup> grade students that function in a variety of roles. They act as guides during Open House at the beginning of the school year, as well as during the first week of school, helping younger students find their way. They act as ambassadors during functions such as Grandparents’ Tea and Artist Day. These students also tutor younger students on school mornings before announcements throughout the year. They are vital to our school community.

<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Gloria Barker Carlisle <a href="mailto:Barkerg@fultonschools.org">Barkerg@fultonschools.org</a></b>
<b>Sign-Up</b>	<b>Application due Spring 2012; membership is based on multiple leadership criteria</b>
<b>Dues</b>	<b>N/A</b>
<b>Meeting date/time/location</b>	<b>Weekly meetings held during lunch</b>

**M.A.S.H. (Media Assistant Student Helpers)** – These 5<sup>th</sup> grade students play a vital role in the Media Center throughout the year. They work in the Media Center before school, assisting younger children with the card catalog system, finding books, assisting with checkout, and a variety of other jobs which help the Media Center a smooth-running operation during peak student traffic.

<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Martha Powell <a href="mailto:Powellm1@fultonschools.org">Powellm1@fultonschools.org</a></b>
<b>Sign-Up</b>	<b>August/September</b>
<b>Dues</b>	<b>N/A</b>
<b>Meeting date/time/location</b>	<b>Before school in Media Center</b>


**Flag Club** – These 5<sup>th</sup> grade students have taken on the responsibility of raising and lowering our United States and State of Georgia flags each morning and afternoon. After learning proper flag etiquette, they carry out this responsibility all year, contributing to school and civic pride.

<b>Sponsor</b>	
<b>Sign-Up</b>	
<b>Dues</b>	

<b>Meeting date/time/location</b>	
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**Oratorical Contest** – This club introduces 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students to the art of public speaking. Students prepare a 4-5 minute speech on an assigned topic and present in our annual RNE’s Oratorical Contest in February. School winners advance to the Perimeter North Club level contest of the Optimist International Oratorical Contest.

<b>Sponsor</b>	Catherine Takeuchi <a href="mailto:Takeuchi@fultonschools.org">Takeuchi@fultonschools.org</a>
<b>Sign-Up</b>	October
<b>Dues</b>	N/A
<b>Meeting date/time/location</b>	After school, November-February

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**Student Council** - A group of 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students who perform school-wide civic duties such as organizing canned food drives, organize the lost and found, warm coat drives, and collecting soda can pop-tops for the Ronald McDonald House. These students represent their homeroom at Student Council and their service touches many lives.

<b>Sponsor(s)</b>	Cindy Fields <a href="mailto:Fieldsc3@fultonschools.org">Fieldsc3@fultonschools.org</a> & Lisa Turner <a href="mailto:TurnerL1@fultonschools.org">TurnerL1@fultonschools.org</a>
<b>Sign-Up</b>	Each 4 <sup>th</sup> and 5 <sup>th</sup> grade homeroom votes to select one boy & one girl
<b>Dues</b>	N/A
<b>Meeting date/time/location</b>	After school, meet one Wednesday each month (TBD)

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**Math Team –**

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<b>Sign-Up</b>	

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**News Team -**

Sponsor(s)	Aimee Hughes <a href="mailto:Hughesa@fultonschools.org">Hughesa@fultonschools.org</a>
Sign-Up	Teacher recommendations
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**Green Thumb Club -**

Sponsor(s)	Martha Patorgis <a href="mailto:Patorgis@fultonschools.org">Patorgis@fultonschools.org</a>
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**Year Book -**

Sponsor(s)	Megan Grizzle <a href="mailto:Grizzlem@fultonschools.org">Grizzlem@fultonschools.org</a>
Sign-Up	Open to 4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup> grade students; Application
Dues	N/A
Meeting date/time/location	Thursdays @ 2:45-4:00 in Grizzle's Room
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**Good News Club –**

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**Chess Club** – Kid Chess™ teaches chess to Atlanta Area children in a fun and educational environment, on campus at various public and private schools, and with home school groups, and other locations.

Sponsor(s)	Ratana Landry at 770-575-5802 <a href="mailto:ratana@kidchess.com">ratana@kidchess.com</a>
Sign-Up	Register Online - <a href="http://www.kidchess.com">www.kidchess.com</a>
Dues	1 <sup>st</sup> Session - \$219 2 <sup>nd</sup> Session - \$165 Both Sessions - \$299
Meeting date/time/location	Media Center – Fall 2011 classes start Sept. 7 1 <sup>st</sup> Session – 2:30-3:30 2 <sup>nd</sup> Session – 3:35-4:35

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**Art Club** – Art Club is an opportunity for RNE students to go further with their art instruction or do things that can't be done in the regular classroom time frame or with supplies that our normal art classes do not use (for example, acrylic paint on canvas). If your student loves to make things and is looking for an outlet for all that rambling creativity, Art Club is the place to be!

Sponsor(s)	Dierdre Christian <a href="mailto:Christaind@fultonschools.org">Christaind@fultonschools.org</a> & Gina Steffensen <a href="mailto:Steffensen@fultonschools.org">Steffensen@fultonschools.org</a>
Sign-Up	Lottery Basis—students put in their name, then 15 students from k-2 and 15 students from 3-5 will be chosen at random and notified, each semester. Alternates will also be chosen in case someone cannot attend.
Dues	\$65 per semester
Meeting date/time/location	Thursdays, 2:30-4:00 Art Rooms

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**Girls on the Run – 8 to 15 girls in grades 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade**

Girls on the Run is an organization determined to educate and prepare girls for a life time of self-respect and healthy living. The program consists of training for a 5K race while incorporating character building and self esteem enhancing activities. Participants gain a better understanding of how to make healthy decisions, resolve conflict, maintain a positive attitude, and build strong and supportive relationships.

The Girls on the Run program:

- Takes place over 12 weeks and consists of groups of 8-15 girls
- Meets twice a week for 90 minutes after school or on weekends

<b>Sponsor(s)</b>	Shaye Mihich <a href="mailto:Mihichs@fultonschoolgs.org">Mihichs@fultonschoolgs.org</a> Elissa Wolf <a href="mailto:Wolfe@fultonschools.org">Wolfe@fultonschools.org</a> Judy Zuber <a href="mailto:Zuber@fultonschools.org">Zuber@fultonschools.org</a>
<b>Sign-Up</b>	August 15 <sup>th</sup> <a href="http://www.girlsontherunatlanta.org">www.girlsontherunatlanta.org</a>
<b>Dues</b>	\$170 Financial Aid is available online
<b>Meeting date/time/location</b>	Sept. 7 <sup>th</sup> -Nov. 16 <sup>th</sup> M/W-2:45-4:15

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**Orff Club** – In this club, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders will be having a great time singing, dancing, and playing various instruments (including our recorders).

<b>Sponsor</b>	Jessica Weingart <a href="mailto:weingart@fultonschools.org">weingart@fultonschools.org</a>
<b>Sign-Up</b>	September – more info to come
<b>Dues</b>	\$20
<b>Meeting date/time/location</b>	After school

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