Meadville Area Senior High School

GSA (Genders and Sexualities Alliance) Club

Mission statement:

The Meadville Area Senior High School GSA welcomes all LGBTQ+ and straight youth to come and talk about any personal or social issue concerning them. Listening and providing support are our main objectives. We hope to create a safe, confidential place to offer support, resources, and emotional outlets, as well as to have fun and meet new people.

Our GSA also aims to promote a more accepting school environment and empower students to take a stand for equality and social justice. We will collaborate with other community groups to organize events and activities to reduce isolation and promote positive well-being.

Membership:

-The club will meet weekly after school and will be open to all high school students in Crawford Central School District.

-The club will elect officers every May. All current members will be allowed to vote for officers for the following school year. Any ninth through eleventh grade student who has shown commitment to the mission of the club will be eligible to run for an office. Any students interested in running for president will need to have been an active member of the club for at least one school year. If the office of president is vacated before elections, the vice-president will become president. If any other office is vacated, the club Advisor can appoint a new officer. That new officer will serve until the next election.

-The club will have the following offices:

<u>President</u> - collaborates with other officers to plan and run meetings and events, contacts and coordinates with leaders of other community groups, handles all external communication (social media, advertising events, community communication) <u>Vice-President</u> - helps President, maintains all internal communication (announcements, meeting reminders)

Secretary - keeps minutes and other records

Treasurer - maintains all financial records (withdrawals, deposits, ledger)