

# Starting a New Club at Johnston

Name of School: Johnston MS and HS Date: 10/25/19

Name of Club: March For Our Lives

Name(s) of student(s) submitting request: Esha Bolar, Anita Dinakar, and Kidan Girma

Why - Why a "Club": To educate and create change. This is a nationally renowned non-profit organization already. It was created by the Parkland students after the Florida school shooting.

Staff Sponsor: Tom Ahern and Sue Cline

Why - Purpose statement of club "To harness the power of young people across Iowa to fight for sensible gun violence prevention policies that save lives while encouraging youth involvement in politics"

Who - Member requirements Passion, Dedication, Civility, and Respect

What - What will you be doing as a club Organizing community events, and educating ourselves in politics from a non-partisan perspective.

When - How often will you meet Once every 2 weeks.

Where - Where will meetings be held Tom Ahern's room (at the middle school), and Sue Cline's room (at the high school)

How Much - Expenses for members None

Rules - Constitution of club; officers, attendance, etc. \_\_\_\_\_

It will be democratically run. Attendance to meetings is highly encouraged, attendance at events is required.

Student Esha Bolar, Kidan Girma, Date 10/25/19

Staff Sponsor Sue Cline (HS), T. Ahern (JMS) Date 10/25/19

Principal [Signature] Date 10/25/19

BOE President \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Denied \_\_\_\_\_ If denied, why?