

Meadville Area Senior High School

Caring Closet Club

Mission Statement:

The Caring Closet is a donation-based organization that was created in 2012 to help students who are in need. The Caring Closet offers clothing for all seasons. Students who need any of these items are directed to the Caring Closet, where they can enjoy a shopping experience without any of the expense.

In 2018, the need for weekend food bags was recognized. We created a food pantry in the Caring Closet, and named it the Caring Cupboard. Students are selected on a desperate need basis. This is often one of the only sources of food that students have over the weekend.

At the beginning of the 2019-20 school year, we established a toiletries program and a free laundry service at MASH. It is called "the Laundry Basket."

Membership:

The Caring Closet is open to all students in need in MAMS or MASH.

-Officers are appointed every May.

-The club will have the following offices:

President - collaborates with other officers and advisor to plan events and meet the needs of the student body.

Vice-President - helps President, maintains all internal communication (announcements, meeting reminders)

Secretary - keeps minutes and other records

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