

**Charter of the Bandera High School
Science Club
Bandera High School
Last Revised 2006**

**Article I:
Name and Purpose**

Section 1. The name of this organization shall be the Bandera High School Science Club.

Section 2. The object of this organization will be to create an enthusiasm and common interest in the sciences among Bandera High School students.

**Article II:
Membership**

Section 1. Members must maintain at least a 70 average in all of their classes in order to retain privileges, including, but not limited to, field trips.

Section 2. Members must attend a minimum of one meeting a month to retain privileges associated with membership of the organization.

**Article III:
Officers**

Section 1. The student officers of the Science Club shall be president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, editor, and historian.

Section 2. Student officers will be elected toward the start of the fall semester. All members are eligible for election, and may only run for one office. Election shall be by secret ballot.

Section 3. A majority vote shall be needed to elect any officer. If the first vote does not yield a majority, a second vote will be held, between the two candidates receiving the highest number of votes.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the president to preside at meetings for this chapter.

Section 5. The vice president shall preside in absence of the president.

Section 6. The secretary shall keep minutes of the meetings and be responsible for correspondence.

Section 7. The treasurer shall keep the records of business expenses.

Section 8. The editor shall be charged with production of the quarterly newsletter.

Section 8. The historian shall be in charge of the organization's publicity, including photography and interacting with the high school public relations officer.

**Article IV:
Executive Committee**

Section 1. The executive committee shall consist of the faculty advisor(s).

Section 2. The executive committee shall have general charge of the meetings and the business of the organization.

**Article V:
Activities**

Section 1. A quarterly newsletter shall be published by members and by submission under the charge of the editor.

**Article VI:
Meetings**

Section 1. Unofficial meetings of this organization shall be weekly; official meetings will be held monthly, updated on the bulletin board.

**Article VII:
Amendments**

Section 1. These bylaws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the organization, provided they are in accordance with school rules and have the approval of the principal.