



## **Youth Action Council Application**

### **Grades 9 - 12**

Attention high school students! Would you like to make a difference in the community and address issues involving the youth of Meadows Place? If so, now is the time to join the Meadows Place Youth Action Council. Applicants must be in grades 9 - 12, possess leadership skills; and be willing to commit time and energy to the mission of YAC.

### **Mission Statement**

The Meadows Place Youth Action Council will serve as the voice of the Meadows Place teen community and promote youth leadership and responsibility through volunteerism and community involvement.

### **YAC Membership Requirements**

- 9th – 12th grade student enrolled in FBISD, private or home school.
- Be willing to help the community by participating in various events and volunteer opportunities.

### **Why join YAC?**

- Have an opportunity to make a difference in your community
- Have fun and hang out with your friends
- Earn volunteer hours for high school credit and for mention on college applications
- Make your voice and the voice of your fellow teens be heard
- It's FREE

### **What do you do in YAC?**

- We have monthly agenda meetings that are required. These meetings take place on Thursday and Saturday evenings.
- You will serve at city wide events, attend fun council events, go on leadership development retreats, and so much more!

For more information on the Meadows Place YAC, please contact:

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## **Juniors and Seniors! Want to be in leadership?**

- If you are a Junior or Senior in high school, you can apply!
- Our leadership team structure is that of any other council. We will be comprised of:
  - **President** – Leads the agenda meetings, assists Recreation Coordinator in planning council events/fundraising opportunities/community involvement.
  - **Vice President** – Assists in prepping the agenda meetings, assists Recreation Coordinator and President in planning council events, communicates information to the council members.
  - **Treasurer** – Keeps record of event budget with assistance from Recreation Coordinator, manages event/fundraiser expenses, and keeps records of fundraising.
  - **Secretary** – Writes council agenda, shares key messages to council members, keeps track of YAC applicants/attendees.
  - **Media Chair** – Takes pictures and videos of council at meetings/events, creates fun ideas for promoting YAC and fundraising opportunities, and shares meeting and other content about the council with Recreation Coordinator.
  - **Recruitment Chair** – Is responsible for coming up with recruitment ideas, events, and materials. Helps Recreation Coordinator in planning recruitment through local and school involvement.
- Leadership Roles will be chosen by the Recreation Coordinator based upon applicants.



Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

T -Shirt Size (Adult) \_\_\_\_\_

Employment if Any  
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Parents Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever volunteered? \_\_\_\_\_

List other organizations/clubs you are involved in: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Why do you want to be a part of YAC?  
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*(Juniors and Seniors only)*

Are you applying for a leadership role? \_\_\_\_\_

What leadership role are you applying for? \_\_\_\_\_

Why do you want to be on the leadership team?  
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