



Youth in Philanthropy Information 2010-2011

What is Youth in Philanthropy?

Youth in Philanthropy is an opportunity for high school students to learn about philanthropy, charitable foundations, and community agencies. Students learn the processes involved in developing criteria for grant awards, evaluating proposals and allocating award money. Youth in Philanthropy is made possible with funding from the Helen Jones Foundation, CH Foundation, and the Diekemper Family Foundation.

Who is eligible?

Youth in Philanthropy members must be enrolled in grades 9 through 12 and be able to attend monthly meetings.

Meetings will cover:

- Introduction to philanthropy
- How to develop award criteria and applications
- Proposal submission
- Evaluating award proposals
- Allocating awards
- Monitoring recipients of last year's awards

Mail applications:

Volunteer Center of Lubbock
1706 23rd St., Suite 101
Lubbock, Texas 79411

Fax Applications:

(806) 747-8640

The Volunteer Center of Lubbock is a United Way Agency that connects people to volunteer needs and empowers nonprofit organizations. Youth Advisory Board is a part of the Volunteer Center of Lubbock's Youth Connection. For more information, please contact Emily Wooley at (806) 747-0551 or via email, ewooley@volunteerlubbock.org You can also access our website at www.volunteerlubbock.org

Youth in Philanthropy Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____ E-Mail Address: _____

School: _____ Grade: _____ Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____

Ethnicity: _____ Gender: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Email: _____

Please answer the following:

How did you hear about Youth in Philanthropy?

Why are you interested in becoming a member of Youth in Philanthropy?

What do you think you could contribute to the community by serving as a member of Youth in Philanthropy?

Please list any work, academic, or extracurricular obligations you will have during the 2010-2011 school year. Please include day, time, and length of commitment:

What would you like to learn from your experience with the Youth in Philanthropy program?

Youth in Philanthropy Agreement

Please initial your agreement to abide by the following rules and expectations:

I understand that meetings are an important aspect of Youth in Philanthropy, and I will do my best to attend each monthly meeting, arrive promptly and stay the entire meeting, and actively participate.

I agree to show my respect to guest speakers and Volunteer Center staff by actively listening and participating in meetings and projects.

I agree to maintain a working e-mail address, check my junk mail settings, and thoroughly read all e-mails I receive from the Volunteer Center. I also understand that it is my responsibility to notify the Volunteer Center of any e-mail or mailing address changes.

I prefer to receive updates, information, and reminders via:

- E-mail
- Home Phone
- Cell Phone
- Mail

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