

Teen Ambassador Overview

Teen Ambassadors are high school junior and senior volunteers who represent Chesterfield County and SAFE as an ambassador of goodwill. As a representative of the county, ambassadors are public figures bringing the positive message of living a lifestyle free of alcohol, tobacco and marijuana use. Ambassadors will have the option to receive training and education on the harmful effects of substance abuse to the community. Ambassadors will have the opportunity to represent the county on task force groups, at public events and/or provide friendship to elementary-aged children after school to deliver substance-free messages and help with homework. Teen Ambassadors will have photos taken at events to be used on the Chesterfield County Government website, the SAFE website and the Chesterfield County School website. Photos may also be used on Facebook for these organizations as well.

SKILLS REQUIRED

- Serve as a positive role model for the county
- Believe in and live a substance free lifestyle
- Share the message of living a substance free lifestyle to prevent and reduce substance abuse in the county
- Desire to make our community a better place to live

DUTIES

- Attend initial interview
- Attend one initial Teen Ambassador training
- Participate in at least one of the service opportunity positions
- Maintain ongoing contact with Teen Ambassador coordinators

BENEFITS

- Community-service hours for college application and membership in service organizations
- Free trainings with lunch or snacks included
- Certificate and letter of participation
- Opportunity to work and serve with professionals within the county and state
- Preventing substance abuse together

Providing a FIRST CHOICE community through excellence in public service



Teen Ambassador Application 2015-2016

TEEN AMBASSADOR INFORMATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, Zip: _____

Email address: _____

Home phone number: _____

Cell phone: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____

Gender: Male Female

Current school: _____

Current grade: _____

Transportation: (check one) Parent Friend Drive self

**Please list any medical or safety issues we need to be aware of, i.e., allergies:*

Are you bi-lingual? Yes No Language: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Name: _____ Work/Cell: _____

Applicant Statement: Please read and sign the below statement if true to you:

I have always, and will continue to, believe in and support living substance free.

Applicant Signature/Date: _____

I would like to apply for:

TEEN AMBASSADOR MENTOR LOCATION

(PLEASE SPECIFY YOUR TOP THREE CHOICES, NUMBERING 1-3)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Bellwood
Mondays
Oct.5-Dec.14
4-5:30 PM | <input type="checkbox"/> Chalkley
Tuesdays
Oct.6-Dec.15
3-4:30 PM | <input type="checkbox"/> Ettrick
Thursdays
Oct.8-Dec.17
4-5:30 PM | <input type="checkbox"/> Marguerite Christian
Thursdays
Oct.8-Dec.17
4-5:30 PM |
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All Teen Ambassador Mentor applicants will be scheduled for an interview before training.

Selected applicants will participate in trainings on either
September 1st or 3rd 9:30-12:30 at
Chesterfield Mental Health Support Services
6801 Lucy Corr Blvd
Chesterfield, VA 23832

TEEN AMBASSADOR TASK FORCE PARTICIPANT

(Please check any additional volunteer opportunities you would like to know about)

- Underage Drinking Task Force
- Tobacco Task Force
- Medication Task Force
- Marijuana Task Force

TEEN AMBASSADOR COMMUNITY OUTREACH

- Driver's License Presentations
- Community Events
- Preparing Materials
- Greeter at SAFE events

Is there anything else you would like us to know about you?

For more information, contact Sherry Callear at 717-6404 or CallearS@Chesterfield.gov

DEADLINE: Applications must be received by 5 p.m. on Monday, ~~August 3.~~
Extended to August 24

Mail applications to: Prevention Services, PO Box 92, Chesterfield, VA 23832

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