

Valdese Youth Council

is accepting **NEW MEMBERS** immediately!

What does the Valdese Youth Council do?

- Earn Service Hours
- Help Your Community (Ramps, Facepainting, Food Drives & More)
- Help Plan Community Events (Festivals, Concerts & More)
- Learn About Local Government

When does the Valdese Youth Council meet?

- Last Thursday of each month at 7pm at the Old Rock School

Why join the Valdese Youth Council?

- Earn Hours & receive recommendation letters for Internships, Careers & College Applications
- Give back to the community
- Become an important part of your community's future

Who is involved in the Valdese Youth Council?

- Valdese residents
- High School Students

Where can you join?

- The Valdese Youth Council is always accepting new members
- Rising Freshmen may join in June

Becoming a member is a great way to help the community and help yourself!

Call...E-mail...**OR JUST SHOW UP!**

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Valdese Youth Council Proposal for Hours Earned

It has come to our attention that the major draw for becoming a member of the Valdese Youth Council is listing participation on college applications and resumes. In response to this it has been decided to offer members the option to earn the required number of hours and they will in turn receive a letter of recommendation from the Valdese Community Affairs & Tourism Department.

With the members participating more in meetings and in the activities planned, Morrissa Angi will come to know the member's goals and ambitions which allow her to recommend the acceptance of the members into their desired colleges & fields.

Hopefully this effort will encourage more interactive meetings as well as increased participation with planned events/activities.

Seniors will be required to complete 10 hours by January 1st, 2014 in order to receive the recommendation letter.

Juniors will be required to complete 30 hours by January 1st the year of their graduation in order to receive the recommendation letter.

Sophomores will be required to complete 60 hours by January 1st the year of their graduation in order to receive the recommendation letter.

Freshmen will be required to complete 90 hours by January 1st the year of their graduation in order to receive the recommendation letter.

Hours will be counted as follows:

1 hour minimum for every meeting attended

Hours that members have participated in by coming to planned events outside meetings

This will be close to 30 hours per year

Morrissa Angi will guarantee that the Valdese Youth Council members have at least one activity each month available to them in addition to their meeting hours.

These hours will be logged by Morrissa Angi on a weekly basis.

As mentioned before, hopefully this will give members the desire to participate more and also to help the Valdese Youth Council to grow.

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What is the Valdese Youth Council?

The Valdese Youth Council serves as a liaison between our local community's youth and the elected Town officials. The VYC meets monthly to brainstorm ideas to help the local community with events and service projects.

When?

The VYC has 3 major projects per year, "Spring", "Festival", & "Holiday". These projects will be decided by the VYC members and will be approved by Morrissa Angi. These projects are intended to encourage the members to get involved in local activities and events.

Where?

Events & Service projects will be within the Town of Valdese only. The VYC goal is to help the local community grow.

Who?

The VYC is comprised on high school aged youth who reside in the Town of Valdese.

How?

To join the VYC you need to come to any meeting and request to join. Morrissa Angi will then submit your name for approval by the Valdese Town Council. Once you are approved you will receive a letter from the Valdese Town Council welcoming you to the VYC.

Fill Out The Form Below And Bring It To The Next Meeting To Join!

Name: _____

Date: _____ Current Grade: _____

Phone: _____ Address: _____

Email: _____

Signature: _____

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