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WESTSHORE PLAZA TEEN BOARD APPLICATION

Dear Potential Teen Board Member,

I am so pleased that you are interested in joining the WestShore Plaza Teen Board. This program was developed to provide area teens the opportunity to add an extra dimension to their high school experience.

The focus and goal of the Teen Board is to give teens the chance to meet & work with others outside their general community & school populations, through community service projects, kid's club activities, fashion shows & workshops. Education is also stressed, as members must maintain a 3.0 GPA throughout the school year.

Teens are selected through an audition process, based upon self-confidence, poise, oral interview and overall enthusiasm. However, it is important that you know from the start that WestShore Plaza's Teen Board is not solely about fashion shows and modeling. Fashion Shows are a reward for participation in other volunteer activities.

You **MUST** meet all your teen board requirements in order to participate in the fashion shows. Requirements include the following:

- ② Teen Board Get To Know Each Other Gathering *(TBD - August 2002)*
- ② Full day of Runway Training & Teen Board Orientation *(TBD - August 2002)*
- ② One mandatory Teen Board meeting each month from July 2002 - May 2003
- ② One (1) WestShore Plaza Kid's Club Event
- ② Santa's Arrival Festivities @ WestShore Plaza *(Saturday, November 16, 2002)*
- ② One (1) Holiday event aside from Santa's Arrival @ WestShore Plaza
- ② Two (2) Volunteer Events with WestShore Plaza
- ② Teen Board End of the Year Party

There are two (2) fashion show opportunities each year: one in the Fall and one in the Spring. If you have met all requirements and are permitted to participate in the fashion show, you must be present at all rehearsals and fittings. If you can not attend a rehearsal or fitting, you will be dropped from the show.

The bottom line and biggest requirement of the WestShore Plaza Teen Board is that you be courteous and responsible in your dedication to the Teen Board and it's members. Please be sure to read everything on this form. Deadline to submit application is Sunday, June 30, 2002. Good Luck!

Sincerely,
Becky Vondrak
Teen Board Director

INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICATION:

- Ⓞ APPLICATIONS MUST BE PRINTED OR TYPED
- Ⓞ APPLICATIONS MUST BE COMPLETE ~ INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED
- Ⓞ APPLICATIONS MUST BE SIGNED BY THE YOU, YOUR GUIDANCE COUNSELOR & YOUR

PARENT

- Ⓞ ALL APPLICATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO CONFIDENTIAL EVALUATION
- Ⓞ ATTACH ONE HEAD SHOT AND ONE FULL BODY SHOT ~ PHOTOS CAN NOT BE RETURNED
- Ⓞ DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTAL IS 6:00 P.M., SUNDAY, JUNE 30, 2001
- Ⓞ LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES
- Ⓞ APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED AT WESTSHORE PLAZA GUEST SERVICES OR MAILED TO:
BECKY VONDRAK, TEEN BOARD DIRECTOR
250 WESTSHORE PLAZA TAMPA, FL 33609

MEMBERSHIP QUALIFICATIONS:

- Ⓞ Application to the WestShore Plaza Teen Board is open to high school students who will be a Sophomore, Junior or Senior for the school year 2002-2003
- Ⓞ No more than 30 individuals will be selected for the Teen Board
- Ⓞ Try-outs will be held on Sunday, July 14, 2002 from 2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. **ONLY**
- Ⓞ You will be notified by mail of your scheduled interview time
Please Note: This date is the **ONLY** day auditions will be held. If you are unable to attend on this date, you will not be considered
- Ⓞ Any special scheduling requirements you may have on that day due to prior commitments must be submitted in writing with your application
- Ⓞ Once your application is turned in, you will be assigned an audition time
- Ⓞ This time will not be changed under any circumstances
- Ⓞ In reviewing an application, the selection committee looks for potential participants who demonstrate the following:
 - ~ Academic excellence with a grade point average of 3.0 or greater
 - ~ Demonstrated commitment to volunteerism in the community
 - ~ Ability to make the time commitment required by the program
 - ~ Personal interview

APPLICANTS SELECTED FOR THE 2002-2003 TEEN BOARD WILL BE NOTIFIED VIA MAIL

GENERAL CANDIDATE INFORMATION

Name (last, first, middle) _____

Age _____ Date of Birth _____

High School _____

Year of Graduation _____

GPA (must be 3.0 or greater to be considered) _____

Street Address _____

City _____ Zip Code _____

Phone Number _____

E-mail Address _____



**SIGNATURE
REQUIRED**

I have read and understand what will be required of me as a member of the WestShore Plaza Teen Board. I agree to the commitment requirements listed on this and the prior page, and would like to be considered as a member of the Teen Board.

Candidate's Signature

Date

PLEASE BE SURE TO READ THIS ENTIRE FORM BEFORE YOU TURN IT IN. THERE IS VERY IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE WESTSHORE PLAZA TEEN BOARD INCLUDED ON THIS FORM.



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Guidance Counselor Recommendation

I hereby verify that the applicant's year of graduation & cumulative GPA are correct. I recommend this applicant for membership on the WestShore Plaza Teen Board.

Signature _____

Print Name Here _____

Date _____



**SIGNATURE
REQUIRED**

Parental Consent

I hereby give my consent for my child to audition for participation in the WestShore Plaza Teen Board.

Signature _____

Print Name Here _____

Date _____

General Fitting Information

PLEASE ATTACH ONE HEAD SHOT & ONE FULL BODY PHOTO

Shirt Size _____

Pant Size _____

Skirt Size _____

Dress Size _____

Shoe Size _____

Height _____

Weight _____

Hair Color _____

Eye Color _____

Candidate Information

On the back of this form please answer ALL of the following questions.
You may attach a second sheet of paper to your form.

1. Who are you? Describe yourself.
2. What do you aspire to be in the future?
3. What do you want to get or expect to get out of being a member of the Teen Board?
4. What will you bring to the Teen Board?
5. What does a week in your life look like? Give an example of your schedule.
6. Please List your extracurricular activities and give brief description of each.
7. Are you currently involved in any volunteer activities? If so, please describe.
8. How much time do you commit to volunteer activities each month?
9. In what kind of volunteer activities would you like to become active in the future?
10. Do you have a job?
11. What are your hobbies?
12. Do you have any unique talents or skills?

