

The Sammamish Youth Board is currently recruiting for 2021-2022 members, seeking teens that have the drive to make change in Sammamish. Specifically, the selection team looks for teens that have creative input and have the follow-through to make their ideas heard.

In the past couple of years, the youth board has organized a variety of events including a lobby day in Olympia to support an initiative mandating bleeding control kits in public schools. In October 2020, the youth board held a virtual town hall catering to the questions and concerns of the Sammamish youth in October. Coupled with the bigger initiatives are events in our local communities like making blankets for the local animal shelter. All these efforts and opportunities help students become more informed and active members of their community. The board uses its platform to connect with local government and provide a voice for the youth in our community.

The events strive to show our generation the importance of local and state government in creating real change that benefits our communities. As we look forward to the 2021-22 year, we hope to further incorporate youth input in policy making and organize volunteer events. SYB is just for youth, but we inspire a passion for social good that lasts a lifetime.

Please complete the membership application below and submit only one application per individual. All applications must be received no later than Wednesday, March 31 2021 at 11:59pm. Your application will be reviewed by current SYB leadership members and City Staff and you will be notified by email of their status no later than May 3. If you are not successful in sending your application or have any questions, please email Lynne Handlos (lhandlos@sammamish.us), Recreation Supervisor.

[SYB Application 2020 - New Member \(jotform.com\)](#)

[SYB Application 2021 - Re-applying Member \(jotform.com\)](#)