



YOUTH LEADERSHIP GLYNN PROGRAM

Dear Students & Parents,

The Youth Leadership Glynn program is in its 23rd year of sponsorship by the Brunswick-Golden Isles Chamber of Commerce. This program is designed to prepare and educate our emerging young leaders on community issues while furthering their knowledge of Brunswick and Glynn County.

The program is offered to select high school students with strong leadership potential and is designed to:

- Present in-depth programs that will acquaint students with community needs and resources and provide interaction with community leaders and decision makers.
- Develop an understanding of leadership qualities, team building skills and community service.
- Provide opportunities for students to develop a level of mutual respect and trust.

Program Requirements:

- **Student must be a high school sophomore or junior.**
- Student must have reliable transportation to and from scheduled activities.
- Student must be able to attend one half-day per month with a schedule that will be given out at orientation.
- Student is only allowed to miss only TWO sessions during the year and may not leave sessions early; in realizing that some students have extremely active after-school schedules, college courses, etc. please keep this in mind when discussing the program with your child. *Coaches should be made aware of this policy as well and agree to the program requirements.*

The application period opens Monday, April 18th and closes Monday, May 2nd.

Applications should be turned into your school's guidance counselor, the organization's administrator or the person who informed you of the program. The final decision about who will participate in the program will be decided by a committee formed by the Chamber Foundation Board of Directors. Once the application period closes, each student will be called in for a group interview during the last two weeks of April. Students will be notified if they have been selected to participate in Youth Leadership Glynn Class of 2021-2022. Once the students have been notified, more information on the program will be sent to the students and parents. The program will begin in the fall once school has resumed.

Cost to participate for the year is \$35 per student. You may pay via cash, credit card or check.

- For credit card payments, please call the Chamber at 912-265-0620 to pay by phone in advance.
- For cash and check, please mail to the Chamber, Attn: Danielle Lewis. Make checks payable to the Brunswick-Golden Isles Chamber of Commerce (or BGICOC).

We are looking forward to an exciting year!

Myrick Stubbs
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2021-2022 YOUTH LEADERSHIP GLYNN APPLICATION

(Please return to school counselor by Monday, May 2nd, 2022)

School: _____

Name: _____
First Middle Last Nickname

Address: _____

Student Cell Phone Number: _____

Student Email Address: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Phone Number: _____

Parent/Guardian Email Address: _____

Grade: _____ GPA: _____ Birth Date: _____

Organizations/Activities/Interests:

List academic, volunteer, religious, social, athletic, etc., activities and organizations in which you currently participate or have participated.

What do you hope to gain from the Youth Leadership Glynn experience?



YOUTH LEADERSHIP GLYNN COMMITMENT STATEMENT

Please check each statement indicating that you understand and commit to program requirements:

- ☐ Student must be a high school sophomore or junior.
- ☐ Student must have reliable transportation to and from the scheduled activities.
- ☐ Student must be able to meet one half-day per month with a schedule that will be given out at orientation.
- ☐ Students are only allowed to miss TWO sessions during the year and may not leave sessions early.
- ☐ Cost for each student participating is \$35.00 and is due on or before Orientation.
- ☐ The applicant and a parent/guardian/adult MUST be present for the orientation.
- ☐ Payment and the Ropes Course Release Form must be turned in prior to orientation.

Please confirm you meet each qualification below required for applying:

- ☐ 3.0 GPA or higher
- ☐ Less than 5 unexcused absences from school
- ☐ No behavioral problems on record

Students accept the responsibility for maintaining good conduct and appearance and will always follow directions. If the requirements are not met, the student will not be invited to graduate the program.

I agree to the above commitment statement and meet all the required qualifications listed above.

Student Signature

Date

As parent/guardian of the above applicant, I support his/her commitment to and participation in the Youth Leadership Glynn Program.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

As school representative of the above applicant, I recommend his/her participation in the Youth Leadership Glynn Program.

Teacher/Guidance Counselor/Principal

Date