

Sammamish Youth Board
October Minutes

-We had a Guest Speaker who introduced the Companion Flag concept and its pride in humanity and our connectedness to each other. If you are interested in getting a companion flag for your school or to host here at City Hall Scott's contact info is:

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-SYB will be reaching out to Tri-High (leadership group of Eastlake, Skyline and Eastside Catholic students)

-City of Sammamish police plan to host a community forum on cyber-bullying. The Youth Board has been asked and has agreed to play a role in this (planning advertising, teen panel at one of the forums, etc.) Details are still being figured out. Also it was suggested that this could be the topic for the next teen informational video played on Ch. 21. Past topics have included speeding while driving, underage drinking parties. A resource on this topic: <http://www.pacerteensagainstbullying.org/>

-Staff at Redmond Firehouse have extended an invitation again to host the annual SYB benefit show to raise money for SYB's Relay for Life team. Tentative date will be April/May as Relay is typically near the end of the school year.

-There is an opportunity to hold a group tubing trip to Summit at Snoqualmie. They are offering a group rate of \$7/person on Fridays evenings from 6-9pm any time after MLK Day. Let's pick a day to go have fun in the snow.

-Bring food to the Eastlake vs. Skyline football game on Oct. 22 to donate to Mayors Day of Concern for the hungry

-Adopt A Road will be this Saturday from 10am-Noon. Email Lynne lhandlos@ci.sammamish.wa.us to sign up

-Volunteer at the YMCA Monster Bash on Oct 22 Email Heidi at hbohall@seattleyymca.org to sign up

Go to the Beaver Lake Haunted House: www.nightmareatbeaverlake.com

-SYB had an informational booth at Eastlake's Community Service Fair on October 4. Skyline's Community Service Fair is scheduled for Nov. 10. Lynne will email Skyline SYB members once the times are known so we can have Skyline students run the SYB informational booth that day.

-We will need SYB volunteers the evening of Dec. 1 to help run the cookie decorating station at the city's holiday lighting ceremony. We will have sign ups at the November Board meeting.

Next SYB meeting: November 17 6-7pm City Hall