

## Herricks Youth Council

Herricks Community Center 999 Herricks Road New Hyde Park, NY 11040 (516) 742-1926



Dear Parents,

Herricks Youth Council (C.O.Y.A. - Club of Youth activities), has been in existence since 1986 and is dedicated to the prevention of violence and substance abuse in the Herricks school district. Herricks Youth Council, which presently serves approximately 150 high school students, is funded by Herricks Community Fund, Inc., a not-for-profit organization. The Herricks Community Fund and Herricks Youth Council strive to bring our community together to provide positive influences within the youth of the community through service, leadership and recreational activities.

Herricks Youth Council (C.O.Y.A.) program takes place on Thursday night from 6-8 pm at Herricks High School. It is open to 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders that live in our community. There will be a membership fee of \$30.00 for the calendar school year. Each member will be issued a membership card with their information on it. The membership card must be shown for admittance into each C.O.Y.A. night. Membership cards will be mailed or distributed as soon as they are available. Each non-member will be charged a \$5.00 fee to attend C.O.Y.A. for each Thursday night activity. Example of activities include sports tournaments, sport games, 30-minute meals, baking, weight room, video game competitions as well as some of the specialty activities/events that C.O.Y.A. offers. Students will also be given the opportunity for community service hours through various activities throughout the year.

## ALL CHECKS CAN BE MADE OUT TO: "HERRICKS YOUTH COUNCIL" ALL MEMBERSHIPS FEES CAN BE SENT TO:

HERRICKS HIGH SCHOOL C/O MS. KRINSKY 100 SHELTER ROCK ROAD NEW HYDE PARK, NY 11040

C.O.Y.A. is supervised by certified teachers from the Herricks school district and we are looking forward to another exciting and fun-filled year.

Sincerely Yours, Tara Krinsky Herricks Youth Council Director

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