

St. Mary's County Teen Court

Adult Volunteer Renewal Application

Date of Application: _____ Referral Source: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Employer: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Age: ____ Date of Birth: _____ Gender: Male ____ Female ____ E-mail: _____

Have you gone by any other name? Yes ____ No ____ If yes, please identify: _____

Teen Court is generally conducted every second and fourth Monday evening from approximately 5:30 PM – 9:00 PM. Are you still available on these Monday evenings? Yes ____ No ____

List below any previous volunteer experiences: (Feel free to continue on another sheet of paper if necessary)

Name of organization or activity:

Nature of volunteer activity

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

Contact: _____ Relationship to Applicant: _____

Address: _____

Telephone #: (Home) _____ (Work) _____ (Cell) _____

Any medical conditions or allergies that would affect your ability to participate in Teen Court? Yes () No ()

If yes, please explain:

The success of the St. Mary's County Teen Court Program would not have been possible without the dedication and commitment of each of the adult volunteers. Your active participation in this program continues to have a direct and positive impact on the youth participants both volunteer and respondent. Your continued interest in participating in this program is greatly appreciated.

Teen Court adult volunteers have routine contact with youths and minors during the performance of their duties. As required by law, all individuals who have such contact are required to undergo a criminal background check conducted by the St. Mary's County Government or its official designated agent. By your signature below you agree to the conduct of this background investigation and to provide additional information that may be required.

I affirm that the above information provided is true and correct and I solemnly declare that I will keep confidential and not divulge, either by word or signs, any information or names that come to my knowledge in the course of a Teen Court Session. I will not identify directly or indirectly, either audibly or in writing, any person participating as a respondent in the Teen Court Program.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____
Applicant's Printed Name: _____

Witness Signature: _____ Date: _____
Witness Printed Name: _____

OPTIONAL ADULT PHOTO RELEASE

I hereby grant the St. Mary's County Teen Court Program my permission to take photographs of me or photographs in which I may be involved with others for the purpose of promoting the **St. Mary's County Teen Court Program**.

I hereby release and discharge staff members of the St. Mary's County Teen Court Program and press organizations covering official events from any and all claims arising out of the use of these photos.

I certify that am 18 or older, have read the above statement, and fully understand and agree to its content.

Signature _____ Date _____
Name (Please Print) _____
Address _____

Witness Signature _____ Date _____
Name (Please Print) _____
Address _____

If there are any questions, please contact the Teen Court Coordinator at 301.475.4200 x1852.

The importance of honoring the confidentiality agreement cannot be overstated. The business of appearing before the Teen Court is a personal matter. All aspects of the Teen Court session are considered CONFIDENTIAL. Failure to respect and honor this agreement will result in, as a minimum, dismissal from participation in the program.

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Adult Volunteer Release Form

I, _____, hereby volunteer to participate in the St. Mary's County Teen Court program. I understand that Teen Court will generally meet on the second and fourth Monday of every month unless noted otherwise. I understand that adult volunteers are needed for Teen Court from 5:30 PM to 9:00 during scheduled court sessions.

I agree to follow all rules and regulations as stated in this release form, and other papers within the Teen Court application packet.

In consideration of and as a condition to participating in the Teen Court program, the undersigned, being 18 years of age or older, as witnessed by my signature below, hereby agree as follows:

1. The undersigned hereby waives and releases the Board of County Commissioners, the Teen Court Administrator's Office, the Department of Juvenile Justice, the St. Mary's County Public Schools, the Sheriff's Office, the Teen Court Oversight Committee, the District Court for St. Mary's County, and each of their officers, officials, representatives, agents, employees, successors, and assigns from any and all claims, actions and liabilities which the undersigned may have or allege to have relating to the participation of the undersigned in the Teen Court program, whether due to negligence or any other fault of the Board of County Commissioners, the Teen Court Administrator's Office, the Department of Juvenile Justice, the St. Mary's County Public Schools, the Sheriff's Office, the Teen Court Oversight Committee, the District Court for St. Mary's County, and each of their officers, officials, representatives, agents, employees, successors, and assigns.
2. The undersigned shall indemnify and hold harmless the Board of County Commissioners, the Teen Court Administrator's Office, the Department of Juvenile Justice, the St. Mary's County Public Schools, the Sheriff's Office, the Teen Court Oversight Committee, the District Court for St. Mary's County, and each of their officers, officials, representatives, agents, employees, successors, and assigns from all claims, actions and/or liabilities (including, without limitation, legal fees) arising out of, or relating to, any aspect of the participation of the undersigned in the Teen Court program.
3. The undersigned hereby acknowledges that he/she has had the opportunity to become familiar with the rules, regulations, and code of conduct for the Teen Court program, and agrees that his/her participation in the Teen Court program shall be in accordance with such rules, regulations, and Code of Conduct.
4. The undersigned hereby agrees that the waiver, release, indemnification, and hold harmless provisions herein shall be binding upon the successors in interest to the undersigned.

Acknowledged on this _____ day of _____, 20__ by:

Signature of Teen Court Volunteer

Printed Name