YOUTH COUNCIL

Members can expect to learn:

- Leadership skills
- Special event planning
- Public speaking
- How to work as a team
- About local politics
- . How to chair meetings
- How to deliver seminars, work shops and presentations
- Conflict resolution, mediation, negotiation, communication skills, etc.

Benefits:

- Being a community leader
- Meetings with Mayor & City Councilors
- Gain employment skills
- Have your voice heard
- · Meet youth with similar Interests
- Be a youth representative from your school
- Gain references for scholarships and employment
- Volunteer hours

Make a difference in our community.

Being a Youth Council member requires a commitment to attend all meetings and a weekend retreat.

Meetings are held twice a month from: September to June.

Cost \$100 for the school year and includes retreat *Financial assistance may be available*

If you are interested and would like to apply to become a member, fill out the application on the reverse side and send it to:

> Abbotsford Youth Commission P208—33355 Bevan Avenue Sweeney Neighbourhood Centre V2S 0E7

> Phone: 778-880-8559 E-Mail: Christy@abbyyouth.com

Check out all the programs we offer at:

www.abbyyouth.com

AYC YOUTH COUNCIL

For Youth in Grade 10 - 12

Do you have ideas for positive change in our community?

Do you aspire to be a leader?

Join the AYC Youth Council to have a say, get involved and make a difference.

Applications accepted:

March to June 15



What are two of your strengths? Why would you like to join Youth Council? **Youth Council Application** Name: Address: Phone:____ Email: _____ Date of Birth: Gender: _____ What are two of your weaknesses? What does leadership mean to you? School: Grade this September: _____ What leadership experience do you currently have?