

Youth Committee Agenda

Chairman- Anant Bansal

Co-Chairman- Angiolina Hukovic

Secretary- Anya Bansal

Membership Co-Coordinators - Elif Cetinkaya & Anya Bansal

NYS Youth Council Chair- Elif Cetinkaya

Youth as Solutions Team Leaders- Nina, Prudence, Anya

Sunday, March 9, 2025

4:00 pm VIRTUAL

INVITED:

Shared Google Drive

- Please update before meeting starts
- 2024-2025 Meeting and Event Calendar
- In the 2024-2025 School Year Folder-
 - Monthly agendas, meeting minutes, and flyers

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Welcome

Introduce yourself, your school, grade, and what you like about Daylight Savings Time (Spring Forward)

Attendance and Call to Order

St. Lawrence County DFC Coalition (PEACE)

- **Nina and Elif**
- Next meeting **Wednesday, March 26th at 3 pm**

Five Hour Free Friday

- Friday, March 7th 4-9 pm
- 114 individuals Pledged to participate
- A small survey will be emailed to participants tomorrow
- Please complete the survey when you receive it
- Feedback

Youth As Solutions Service Project-Teen Safe Driving

- Three Team Leaders-Prudence, Nina, and Anya
 - Next Monthly Check-In is this **Tuesday, March 11th 6:30-7:30 pm EST**
- **Scholarship to attend this year's National Leadership Conference in St. Paul, MN**
 - Anya and Nina
 - March 25th-28th
- **SIGNED RELEASES for videos and pictures**
 - Two Mandatory Releases: *YAS and GM*
- **Focus Area for Teen Safe Driving** (must be one of the following:)
 - Increasing seatbelt usage
 - Decreasing impaired driving
 - Decreasing distracted driving

Anant Bansal-Clarkson School

Elif Centinkaya-Clarkson School

Prudence Cutwa-Lisbon

Annabel Curtis-Ogdensburg

Kaitlyn Holmes-Canton

Kaitlyn Redfern-Canton

Ben Weaver Madrid-Waddington

Cayne Trimm-Ogdensburg

Anya Bansal-Potsdam

Taha Ait Maatallah-Potsdam

Angiolina Hukovic-Morristown

Dino Hukovic-Morristown

Alivia Sochia-Clarkson School

Stanley LaFave-Heuvelton

Ezriah Edwards-Potsdam

Mia Jeneault-Ogdensburg

Sage Smith-Heuvelton

Andrew Shippee-Hermon DeKalb

Tyree Hawkins-Madrid-Waddington

GOAL!

500 PLEDGES



- **Slogan**

- **"Your Road, Your Responsibility, Their Life- Drive Safely"**

- **Teen Pledges for Safer Driving-MARCH INITIATIVE**

- QPR Code-Google Form to take PLEDGE
- Infographic Cards for DMV's and Schools
- Stickers
- PSA's
- Car magnets as an incentive for pledges?

- **Ideas for School/Ambassador Promotion**

- Post our posters and infographic cards throughout your school
- Set up a table in your school's high-traffic area (cafeteria, hallway, library) and encourage students to sign the Teen Safe Driving Pledge
- Offer our stickers as a small incentive for those who take the Pledge
- Display a pledge banner where students can sign their names and take photos
- Record daily/weekly school announcements sharing key statistics from our flyer
- Share our poster in your school newsletter
- Launch a social media challenge: Ask students to post a picture or video pledging to drive safely using a campaign hashtag **#SLCSafeDriving**
- Organize a Pledge Challenge between grades or homerooms
- Host a poster or video contest where students create PSAs about safe driving
- Ask teachers to include a short safe driving discussion in English, History, Health or Driver's Ed classes
- Partner with local law enforcement or EMTs to give talks or show crash statistics
- "Red Thumb Reminder" Day: Have students paint one thumbnail red to remind them not to text while driving and take the Pledge

- **PSA and TikTok Videos**

- Feedback and dates when the videos will be ready to post



Spring Ambassador Recruitment

- 9 Graduating Ambassadors: Anant, Elif, Nina, Dino, Andrew, Alivia, Mia, Ezriah, Taha
- Seniors-please bring your replacement Ambassador to April/May/June meetings
- Youth Committee Chair positions
- Position mentorship for Chair and Vice Chair
- Poster campaigns at all schools
- **Ambassador Recruitment Ideas**
 - **Feedback and Ideas**





Ambassador Senior Spotlights

- Anant, Elif, Nina, Dino, Andrew, Alivia, Mia, Ezriah, Taha
- Seniors please complete the spotlight questions by **March 31st**
- Include a picture for our newsletter and social media
- **Answer the following questions:**
 - What has been the most rewarding part of being a Teen Ambassador?
 - How has this experience shaped your leadership skills or future goals?
 - What is one piece of advice you'd give to future Teen Ambassadors?
 - What are your plans after graduation (college, career, service, etc.)? What college will you be attending? Major or career field?
 - Share a favorite memory or highlight from your time as a Teen Ambassador.

TO DO

SAVE THE DATE



Next Meeting:

REMEMBER

**Sunday, April 13th 2:30 pm IN PERSON
to make Teen Safe Driving Video Showcase**