



The Swansboro Area Development Foundation, Inc.

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The Swansboro Area Development Foundation, Inc. (SADF) is establishing a Youth Development Foundation: **The Swansboro Area Youth Development Foundation, Inc. (SAYDF)**. This newly formed SAYDF will be a subsidiary of the SADF and SADF Board of Directors will mentor SAYDF members and teach them about the importance of civic responsibility, community development and improvement, local government, and event planning.

SAYDF Mission Statement: Through youth involvement, the SAYDF will improve the quality of life for young residents of the Swansboro area through development of comprehensive projects and services. SAYDF members will participate in fundraising for, and provide input for the planning of, the new Swansboro Recreation Center.

Eligibility: 8th grade – 12th grade students from Swansboro High School, Croatan High School, Swansboro Middle School, and Broad Creek Middle School

Attendance Policy: Attendance is mandatory at one bimonthly SADF meeting; attendance is mandatory at all monthly SADF meetings; excused absences must be reported to the SADF President before the SADF meetings occur; three (3) consecutive absences is considered grounds for dismissal.

Government affiliation: SAYDF members will participate in an annual “Youth Government Day” where members will become the Mayor and Town Council for the Day, in both Swansboro and Emerald Isle, NC.

SAT hours/volunteer hours (NJHS): SAYDF members will accrue valid SAT, NJHS and other volunteer hours by participating in Board meetings, planning meetings, and event execution. Approval has been received by the Onslow County Schools system office; we are waiting for approval from Carteret County Schools.

SAYDF Events: May Outdoor Dance & Halloween Extravaganza

Initial Meeting: The first meeting of the Swansboro Area Youth Development Foundation (SAYDF) will be **Thursday, March 4, 2010 at 6:30 p.m.** The meeting will be held in the Town of Swansboro’s **New Town Hall** (the old Catholic church on W. Corbett Ave, near the Swansboro Fire Department). If students have questions, please direct their questions to Dr. Beth Barton, SADF Secretary. If students are interested in participating, but cannot attend the first meeting, please email me: **Beth A. Barton, Ph.D. (Secretary)** bartonb@uncw.edu .

The SADF Mission: To improve the quality of life for residents of the Swansboro area through development of comprehensive projects and services. |