



# 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, December 15, 2024**

**3:00 pm IN PERSON**

**INVITED:**

## Attendance and Call to Order

### Welcome!

- Introduce yourself, your school, grade, and one request that's on your Christmas/holiday wish list

## Shared Google Drive

- Teen Ambassador Roster-please update
- 2024-2025 Meeting and Event Calendar
- In the 2024-2025 School Year Folder-
  - Monthly agendas, meeting minutes, and flyers

**CLICK HERE**



## Cards for Anant and Anya Bansal

## Staffing within the Youth Bureau Department

## 1-2 Teen Ambassadors to join the St. Lawrence County DFC

### Coalition

- Feedback
- Involvement Agreement

## Youth Bureau Annual Holiday Card Drive

- Please turn in your cards
- THANK YOU for supporting this initiative

## Stroll or Stride February Event

- Saturday, February 1st 9:00 am
- Heuvelton, Lisbon, and Madrid Waddington
- In partnership with Public Health
- Earns community service hours

## February Albany Trip

- Monday and Tuesday February 3rd and 4th
- Teen Leadership Forum Monday afternoon & Legislative Day Tuesday am
- 9:15 am time with Senator Mark Walczyk
- 10:00 am Walczyk staff tour of the Capital Building
- Parental signed releases, letters to schools, and community service hours

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| 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 |



## Youth Bureau/Youth Committee Duffle Bags for Girl Scouts

- Article in December Newsletter

## Gizmo's Pawesome Guide to Mental Health

- Bringing Mental Health to 3rd and 4th grade classrooms
- Training
- No dates scheduled in January/February yet

## Youth As Solutions Service Project-Teen Safe Driving

- Three Team Leaders-Prudence, Nina, and Anya
  - Next Monthly Check-In: Tuesday, December 17th 6:30-7:30 pm EST
- **SIGNED RELEASES**
  - 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
- **Teen Safe Driving Survey**
  - 537 Teens & 16 Adults completed the survey!
- **Slogan "From the River to the Road, make it safely back home"**
  - Feedback and ideas
  - "Adirondacks to the St. Lawrence: Safe Driving Starts Here."
  - "Adirondack Roads, St. Lawrence Shores: Drive Safe, Arrive Safe."
  - "Your Road, Your Responsibility. Lead Safely."
  - "St. Lawrence Teens: Leading the Way to Safer Roads."
  - "Your life > Their DM. Focus on the road."
  - "Eyes on the road, not on the gram."
- **Teen Pledges for Safer Driving**
  - *"I pledge to make every trip a safe one. I will stay focused, avoid distractions, always wear my seatbelt, and never drive impaired."*
- **Infographic Cards**
- **PSA's**

Next Meeting:

**REMEMBER**

Sunday, January 12th 4:00 pm VIRTUAL via Zoom



HAPPY  
HOLIDAYS

