



Guidelines for Submission

Please review these guidelines prior to submitting an activity or event to the Youth Engagement Activity Hub. Activities and events that do not comply with these guidelines will not be accepted.

YEAH! is an online listing of events for youth and was designed to encourage young people to plan, promote, and participate in community service activities around Anne Arundel County. **The events listed on YEAH! are not sponsored or endorsed by Anne Arundel County.**

The County reserves the right to decline any submission that does not adhere to these guidelines, and the following guidelines apply:

1. The submission form must be completed in its entirety.
2. All activities require an adult sponsor over the age of 21. The adult sponsor would most often be a staff member or volunteer of the sponsoring organization. If the activity is being planned by a young group or individual, the adult sponsor can be a group advisor, parent or guardian, or other adult familiar with the activity.
3. Ideally, the activity will take place at least 2 weeks from the day of submission, however submissions will not be turned down for that reason. The review process will take 3 business days.
4. The activity should enable youth to:
 - a. better or serve their community;
 - b. educate themselves; or
 - c. participate in government.
5. The activity should take place in Anne Arundel County or otherwise concern the youth of Anne Arundel County.
 - a. In the case of an online event, submissions may be accepted if:
 1. the event is planned by an organization based in Anne Arundel County;

2. the event is planned by a youth resident of Anne Arundel County; or
 3. the event facilitates engagement, as listed in (4) above.
- b. If the event is in Maryland, but outside of Anne Arundel County, the submission may be accepted if:
1. it is a state-sponsored event;
 2. it is a multi-jurisdiction event that impacts Anne Arundel County; or
 3. it is a major event that will impact Anne Arundel County (for example, a Chesapeake Bay-centered event in Queen Anne's County) .
6. Ensure that any and all web links associated with the event are active. This includes, but is not limited to, registration links, flyers, or agendas.
 7. The event must be open to all youth residents of the County and reasonably accessible to anyone who wishes to participate. Community-specific events may be approved so long as they are accessible. Examples of non-accessible events include those held in gated communities that are not open to the public.
 8. Political events that promote candidates running for office or partisan political organizations will not be accepted.
 9. Events that promote violence or hate in any manner will not be accepted.
 10. The event must not violate any federal, state, or county laws, rules, or regulations, and must have proper approvals and permits when required.

Anne Arundel County does not endorse events posted on YEAH! YEAH! is a service provided to the youth of the County to encourage their participation in community service activities that are of interest to them.