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**LEADERSHIP** habersham

2019-2020

**YOUTH LEADERSHIP HABERSHAM**

**STUDENT APPLICATION**

**Program Description**

The Habersham County Chamber of Commerce offers select high school juniors and seniors at Tallulah Falls School an opportunity to serve as a member of Youth Leadership Habersham (formerly the Junior Chamber Board of Directors) for this academic year.

Youth Leadership Habersham members will participate in an opening session on leadership skills from the University of Georgia's J. W. Fanning Institute of Leadership Development, travel to meet local entrepreneurs and business executives for tours of various community businesses throughout the year, learn more about Chamber functions and the history of Habersham County, and meet with the Chamber's adult Leadership Habersham program members for mentoring opportunities.

Youth Leadership Habersham members will also have an opportunity to apply for a Chamber scholarship at the conclusion of the academic year, and seniors will receive an honor cord for attending all the sessions.

Youth Leadership Habersham members are required to:

- Attend four meetings a year which may consist of half-day sessions or full-day sessions, all approved by the school administration. One full-day session includes a trip to the state capitol to participate in "Habersham Day at the Capitol." All sessions will conclude in time for students to return to the high school by 3 p.m.
- Submit a teacher recommendation form with application.

**Applications and teacher recommendations are due by 3 p.m. August 30th to Kim Popham.**

**Applicant Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Home mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

T-shirt size: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Work phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Activities/Honors/Interests**

Extracurricular activities in high school: \_\_\_\_\_

What is your favorite extracurricular activity and why? \_\_\_\_\_

Why would you like to participate in Youth Leadership Habersham ? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your desired profession or a profession that interests you and why?

What are your goals after high school? \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to make a commitment to serving on the Habersham Chamber of Commerce Youth Leadership Habersham. If I am selected, I will participate in the above-mentioned meetings and activities.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Applicant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

I consent to my child participating, if selected, on the Habersham County Chamber of Commerce Youth Leadership Habersham and will support full participation of required activities. I also grant permission for my child to be photographed for educational and promotional purposes.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Legal Guardian Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Legal Guardian Signature



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**2019-2020 YOUTH LEADERSHIP HABERSHAM  
STUDENT RECOMMENDATION FORM**

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known the student listed above? \_\_\_\_\_

In what capacity have you known the student? \_\_\_\_\_

Please be as descriptive and thorough as possible when answering the following questions:

Why should this student be considered for the Youth Leadership Habersham program?

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What leadership traits does this student currently exhibit or have the potential to attain?

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What is your opinion of this student's academic and/or behavioral performance?

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What do you feel this student would be able to contribute to this program?

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Please provide any additional information about this student that you feel is beneficial:

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Your name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_



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**2019/2020 Dates  
Locations/Topics To Be Announced**

**September 25<sup>th</sup> – *KICKOFF***

**November 13<sup>th</sup>**

**January 15<sup>th</sup>**

**February 19<sup>th</sup>- *DAY AT THE CAPITAL***

**June TBA-GRADUATION**

*All sessions will end in time for students to return to  
high school by 3p.m.*