

# **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY For High School and Middle School Students!!!!**

**2019**

## ***Cuyahoga Falls Safety Town Cuyahoga Falls Natatorium 2345 Fourth Street***

**Monday-Friday June 3-7 & 10-14, 2019  
8:00 (M) & 8:30am – 2:15pm  
Lunch provided!**

***BY VOLUNTEERING AT SAFETY TOWN FOR BOTH WEEKS, YOU WILL RECEIVE 60  
COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS -VOLUNTEER ONE WEEK AND EARN 30 HOURS!***

### **Group Leader Volunteer Information**

Safety Town is a nonprofit educational program geared toward students entering kindergarten residing in Cuyahoga Falls. The curriculum involves a variety of safety topics and issues.

Safety Town will be held at the Cuyahoga Falls Natatorium from June 3-7 and June 10-14, 2019. Sessions for students are from 9:00am -11:00am or 12:00pm - 2:00pm. You will be required to work from 8:00am – 2:15pm, Monday, and 8:30am - 2:15pm, Tuesday-Friday. You may choose to work one week or both weeks, **but must work every day of the week(s) you choose**. You will also be **required** to attend a brief training meeting prior to Safety Town.

Being a group leader at Safety Town is a very important responsibility. The children need to establish a good relationship with you to feel safe and secure. We need to know that we can depend on you to make a commitment to work through the entire week(s) at Safety Town.

As a group leader, you and another volunteer will be assigned to a group of six to eight children. Each day, you will meet with your group at the assigned table to review previous day information, color pages in the Safety Town Activity Book, and/or practice the safety songs. Next, you will follow a schedule for the day which may include listening to a speaker such as a fire fighter, police officer; watching a video; touring the Natatorium Aquatic Center with a lifeguard; riding a school bus; or actively participate with the children in the fire safety house.

If you enjoy working with young children and would like to be involved in Safety Town, please complete the attached application and attachments, and return to Karla Edwards, Secretary, Cuyahoga Falls Fire Department, 1924 Front Street, Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221. We will be looking for 15-18 confident, qualified, caring leaders. We will consider the applications and contact students who we determine to be the best candidates. There will be a **mandatory orientation meeting for all volunteers** the week of May 20, 2019. You will receive community service hours for volunteering.

**Safety Town 2019  
Student Group Leader  
Teacher Recommendation Form**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ recommend  
(Print Teacher Name & School)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Print Student Name)

**to be a Group Leader with the Cuyahoga Falls Safety Town Program. I believe that he/she shows the leadership skills needed to be an asset to the program.**

**Additional Comments or Information:**

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**Teacher Signature**

**Contact Number**

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**Date**

**This form MUST be in the Fire Dept. by 5:00 pm on May 13, 2019**

**Cuyahoga Falls 2019 Safety Town  
Volunteer Application**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Address/City/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

Email (parent or student): \_\_\_\_\_

T-Shirt size: (adult sizes)            S        M        L        XL        XXL

I am available the week(s) of:    June 3 -7 \_\_\_\_\_            June 10-14 \_\_\_\_\_

(You may volunteer for one week or both weeks, but you must be available all days of the week(s) that you agree to volunteer, Monday-Friday.)

Please list any previous experience you have had working with children: (Experience is not required)

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**I understand that volunteering for Safety Town is a responsibility. I agree to be a dependable volunteer, be on time (8:00 on Monday, 8:30am Tues-Fri), attend all days I am scheduled, and be a good role model for the children attending Safety Town.**

Student signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**I understand that my child has volunteered for Cuyahoga Falls Safety Town. My child will have dependable transportation to Safety Town by 8:30am each morning, (8:00 on Monday, June 3 and/or Monday, June 10) and home from Safety Town at 2:15pm.**

Parent signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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| <p><b>Please return all forms to:</b><br/>Cuyahoga Falls Fire Department<br/>Attn: Karla Edwards, Secretary<br/>1924 Front Street<br/>Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221</p> | <p>For Questions Contact:<br/>330-971-8400 phone, M-F 8-5<br/>330-971-8409 fax<br/>fire@cityofcf.com</p> |
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**No Applications Accepted After 5:00 pm on May 13, 2019**

**Safety Town 2019  
Student Group Leader Essay**

**I,**

\_\_\_\_\_

**(Print Student Name)**

**want to be a Group Leader with the Cuyahoga Falls Safety Town Program  
because:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Completed Application Due by 5:00 pm on May 13, 2019  
– APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED  
AFTER THIS DATE!**