

# 2017-2018 Helping Hands Application

Return to Laura Stevens at the Youth Center no later than **September 20**.

Our first Meeting will take place at the Youth Center **September 28** at **7 PM**.

**Helping Hands** is a volunteer, community service program for all high school boys & girls that live in North Andover. The focus of Helping Hands is on cancer awareness and fundraising - particularly for pediatric cancer. We meet one night a week to plan and carry out a variety of projects and fundraisers in the North Andover and Greater Lawrence community. High schoolers can apply for Helping Hands in September at the Youth Center! All Helping Hands members must become members of the Youth Center.

Helping Hands requires a sizable time commitment from members. Please carefully consider how much time you have to devote to the group before applying. **Attending Relay for Life is required** - no exceptions! We will meet every Thursday 7-8 PM, and **missing more than 3 meetings throughout the school year will result in loss of membership of the group.**

Check out <http://www.nayouth.com/helping-hands.html> to see some of the things the group has accomplished over the last few years, and to see if it would be a great fit for you!

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

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone number (yours): \_\_\_\_\_

| Have you participated in Helping Hands before? | Yes | No  |
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| If Yes, for how many years?                    | 1   | 2 3 |

**Please list all other extra-curricular activities, including employment, what season it takes place during, and how many hours/week you devote to it.**

Example: Dance, Fall/Winter/Spring, 10 hours per week

Please answer the following questions in 2-3 sentences.

**Why do you want to be a member of Helping Hands?**

**What do you think is your strongest asset that you can bring to HH?**

**What inspires you to want to help fundraise for this cause?**

**List 3 fundraising ideas we could do this year. (If you have been in HH before, please list at least 1 new idea!)**

**How many hours/week would you realistically be able to spend on Helping Hands?**

**Name one kind thing you did for someone this summer :)**