

## Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office Leadership Academy



### **Sheriff's Rising Stars**

June 11 – 15, 2012

**Mission:** *To provide a leadership program that enables each student to be exposed to principles that will enhance their ability to be a successful and responsible citizen.*

**Vision:** *For the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office to become a community leader in developing and rewarding successful students by enhancing their ability to become productive citizens.*

#### **SRS Program Goals:**

1. Develop relationships between future high school seniors and positive adult role models.
2. Reward responsible students by providing a challenging, yet enjoyable, week-long learning experience.
3. Deliver leadership training that will promote positive citizen involvement.

#### **Eligibility and Application Requirements:**

- Provide transcripts supporting a minimum un-weighted GPA of 3.0.
- No criminal history.
- Must be a Junior advancing to a Senior in the upcoming year.
- Parent or Guardian must sign HCSO Release and Indemnity Agreement.
- Provide 3 letters of recommendation from persons other than family members.
- Complete the HCSO emergency notification form.
- Submit completed application packet to your SRD/SRO by March 21, 2012.

^ *Each application will be reviewed by the respective high school membership committee.*

#### **Semi-finalists Requirements:**

- ^ ***The high school membership committee will select three semi-finalists. The three semi-finalists from each school will be required to write a 500 word leadership essay. The essay will be written at the student's school, in a controlled environment, supervised by a proctor. The applications and essays will be forwarded to the Sheriff's Rising Star Leadership Committee, who will select one student from each school after reviewing the applications and essays.***

## Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office Sheriff's Rising Stars Leadership Program Application

Full Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Un-weighted GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cellular Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

- Student's Driver's License #: \_\_\_\_\_ Valid: Y/N

Emergency Contact:

Name	Relationship	Home/ Work/ Cell Phone #
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- Have you ever been arrested? Y/N
- Have you included your mandatory 3 letters of recommendation with this application? Y/N
- Have your included a copy of your school transcripts? Y/N
- Have you included your emergency notification and video release forms? Y/N

School/Community Civic Activities: \_\_\_\_\_

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Leadership Positions Held: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please tell us why you feel you should be selected for this academy: \_\_\_\_\_

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- I have read and understand the criteria for selection to the SRS Academy.

**Student Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

