



North County Teen Court
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North County Teen Court (NCTC) was founded in 2006 by Sherman resident Mr. Robert Hoffek and Mr. Philip Brown, retired Police Officer. Police departments from Williamsville, Riverton, Spaulding, Rochester and Grandview currently work with the NCTC.

NCTC represents a positive alternative to the juvenile justice system and holds juvenile offenders accountable for a sentence imposed by a jury of their peers. By offering this alternative system, we allow youth who have made poor decisions an opportunity to recognize their mistakes and learn valuable lessons. At the same time, participating youth increase respect for themselves, schools, law enforcement, the community and the legal system.

Teen Court hearings are held the second Monday and Wednesday of the month in Williamsville and Riverton. Twenty to twenty-five teen court jurors and volunteers hear cases from the various communities at these hearings. Prior to court hearings, we provide a simple meal for our teen court jurors and volunteers since most are arriving right after a school event or work and haven't had time to eat. Each meal cost an average of \$35 to \$40 for our volunteers. The cost of providing these meals is the third highest annual expense for NCTC. We are seeking businesses or individuals to partner with NCTC to provide one meal a year for either our Williamsville or Riverton teen court jurors and volunteers.

NCTC is a 501(c)(3); therefore, your donation is tax deductible. Everyone is a volunteer with NCTC, there are no paid positions. Adult volunteers who serve as parent coordinators for our Teen Courts schedule pick up or delivery times for the meal donations prior to the hearings.

If you are interested in partnering with NCTC to provide a meal, please contact me at either (217) 544-3234 or swalden@gcctv.com. Thank you in advance for your consideration!

Sincerely,

Sandra Walden, Treasurer/Webmaster

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