



## Top 10 Reasons for Joining TAC:

10. There's lots of good company—new friends and old.
9. Looks great on college applications.
8. You can make a lot of noise in the Library—after hours, of course!
7. You get to eat great snacks at meetings and events.
6. You can watch "B" grade movies and review Anime (and get popcorn or gooey, sticky candy).
5. You get first dibs on the newest comic books, CDs and bestsellers.
4. You'll have a laughing, chuckling good time.
3. Earn community service at every meeting.
2. You can show off all your talents.
1. You are eligible for an award from the Friends of the Bernardsville Public Library.

## Bernardsville Public Library

1 Anderson Hill Road  
Bernardsville, NJ 07924  
908-766-0118

Michaele Casey  
Youth Services Librarian

### **LIBRARY HOURS:**

Monday – Thursday  
10:00 AM – 9:00 PM

Friday – Saturday  
10:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Sunday  
1:00 PM – 5:00 PM  
(Call for summer hours.)



## **TEEN ADVISORY COUNCIL (TAC)**

Grades 7-12

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Public Library**

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## What is T-A-C ??

Who better to tell the Library what really interests teenagers than the teens themselves?

That's why the Bernardsville Library relies on the Teen Advisory Council (TAC), a group of young adults who volunteer to help our Youth Services Librarian.

### **You *can* make a difference!**

TAC meets once a month to advise, supervise, promote and initiate the wide variety of programs offered at the Library all year long. Guest speakers are invited, movies are shown, books are discussed—all with input and direction from the teens on the Advisory Council. The one constant is the philosophy: you *can* make a difference!

TAC members also have the opportunity to influence how the Library's collection grows. They help select new library materials such as books, computer software, magazines, and music CDs.

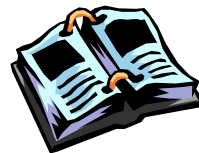
## Bernardsville Public Library

Bernardsville Public Library provides numerous services to young adults: books (print and non-print), assistance with assignments and recreational reading, music, audio cassettes, CDs, magazines and much more.

The more includes programs ranging from writing workshops, comedy improvisations, volunteer opportunities, and book discussions to crafts, computer programs and an after-hours coffeehouse. The programs vary as times and interests change. The constant remains to create a library comfort zone.

Some TAC members return year after year—a few even help out while at college through e-mail. What they find here is clearly more than community service or an after-school club. They find respect, a feeling of being important and being needed, teamwork, friendship and fun.

### ***Please join us!***



## Already TAC Has.....

- Hosted music concerts to benefit Katrina hurricane victims and collected food for local food banks;
- Hosted movie nights, Anime previews for the Anime ADVocates and *Tales of the Jersey Devil* with Youth Stages;
- Helped film a Library Ghost documentary;
- Hosted holiday programs for the younger set;
- Listened (terror-struck) to scary storyteller Ken Gallipeau at Halloween;
- Spent lots of money on a new music collection and ordered new CDs online;
- Hosted an Improv Comedy Night, CD exchange, and an Animal Fair;
- Helped Borough employees at an auction of old library furniture;
- Set up the new Young Adult area of the Library.

***You can make a difference!***