

Name: Kaley

Position on the Youth Advisory Council: Chair-Person for 2010-2011

Previous position(s): 2008-2009: Treasurer, 2009-2010: Co-chair

Length of membership: October 2007 - Present



Why did you join the Youth Advisory Council? *I joined the Youth Advisory Council to give back to Holland Bloorview, because of all of the opportunities that the Centre has given me to explore and challenge myself and help me become who I am now.*

What do you like best about the Youth Advisory Council? *There are 2 things: first is the companionship between members and second is the opportunity to provide feedback to different areas of the Centre from a youth perspective.*

Why should a new member consider joining the Youth Advisory Council? *I think that a new member should consider joining the Youth Advisory Council because it will give them a sense of belonging as well as providing them with the tools to advocate for themselves and others.*

What is something cool that you've done since you've been a part of the Youth Advisory Council? *I participated in the planning and execution of the day where a group of youth from Scotland came to view the centre. The best part of the day was the chance to interact with the youth from Scotland at the BBQ. We were joined by Holland Bloorview staff and it was really interesting and worthwhile.*

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<http://www.hollandbloorview.ca/about/councils/youthadvisorycouncil.php>