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Talia Solomon and Courtney Wright (both sophomores) run the PACT table during lunch in the SBHS lobby.

PACT Update

We proudly welcome our new PACT Advisory Board Members:

Alyssa Tenney (SBHS Class of 2014)
Courtney Wright (SBHS Class of 2014)

Please Join Us! PACT Open Board Meeting

Monday, October 17, 12:00-2:00 p.m.
South Burlington Community Library Conference Room

All Are Welcome!

Stop by any time you can, feel free to bring your lunch, and leave when you need to – but please know how welcome you, your ideas, and your questions are at our first Open Board Meeting for PACT.

**PACT Community Dinner –
November 3, 2011, 5:30-7:00 p.m.
South Burlington High School**

The **theme** for this Community Dinner will be **“What South Burlington Means to Me.”**

Please bring a dish to share if you can, and join us for engaging dialogue and good food as our teens lead us once again for this event.

Developmental Assets for Our Teens and Children

At an event offered last spring at South Burlington High School, PACT Board member and Prevention Counselor **Mariah Larkin** and SBHS Director of Guidance **Tim Wile** led us in dialogue about **Developmental Assets** and their importance in our teenagers’ and children’s lives.

According to the Search Institute, “The Developmental Assets are 40 common sense, positive experiences and qualities that help influence choices young people make and help them become caring, responsible, successful adults.”

PACT invites our community to take a look at the list of Developmental Assets for young adults, ages 12-18, and the “Take Action” suggestions by each:

<http://www.search-institute.org/content/40-developmental-assets-adolescents-ages-12-18>

PACT welcomes ideas from our teens, our children, and our adults on how we might *take action* to further our vision *to build and sustain a community of respect, compassion, and equality.*

We continue to offer deep gratitude to our teens, children, and adults for sharing your time, your ideas, your questions, your concerns, and your support with PACT.