

Minutes
Youth Council Meeting
Date: Tuesday 25 June 2013
Venue: Council Chambers
Time: 4.00pm

ITEM: 1 PRESENT AND APOLOGIES

Present: Clr. Inzitari, Clr. Higlett, Melissa Besley, Zachary Dray, Brenella Rehim.

Apologies: Kane Bott, Matthew Johnson, Daniel Whiteman and Mallory Sedger.

Officers: Melanie Jones.

Declaration of Interests: Nil

ITEM: 2 CONFIRMATION OF THE PREVIOUS MINUTES

The previous minutes of the meeting held 21 May 2013 were ratified by email and reported to Council on 17 June 2013.

MOVED: Zac Dray **SECONDED:** Melissa Besley

ITEM: 3 PCYC SCHOLARSHIPS

SUMMARY

Progress of the PCYC Scholarships.

COMMENTARY

Discussion was held about the progress of the PCYC Scholarships Program. Melanie has been liaising with the new manager of the Lithgow PCYC and has been provided with information about the programs and activities currently running, which scholarship recipients will have access to. The manager of the PCYC has also provided Melanie with registration forms to the club for the recipients of the scholarships. Principals at both Lithgow High School and La Salle Academy have been contacted regarding the scholarship program and the nomination details. Brenella agreed to speak at the school assembly to let students know more about the program.

RECOMMENDATION

THAT: The report on the PCYC Scholarship Program is noted.

MOVED: Brenella Rehim **SECONDED:** Kane Bott

ITEM: 4 YOUTH COUNCIL WEBSITE

SUMMARY

The Youth Council discussed ideas for updating the existing Youth Council page on the Council website.

COMMENTARY

Discussion was held around ideas for updating and re-vamping the Youth Council page on the Council website. Between now and the next meeting the Youth Council members will collect pictures of previous events and think of ideas to discuss at the next meeting.

RECOMMENDATION

THAT: The report on the Youth Council website is noted.

MOVED: Melissa Besley

SECONDED: Brenella Rehim

ITEM: 5 GENERAL BUSINESS

SUMMARY

5.1 Ideas for future youth focused events in Lithgow were discussed. Some ideas included Midnight Basketball, different bands/artists, acoustic musicians, photography competitions and laser tag.

5.2 The committee discussed the need for wider consultation with young people in the local area. They would like to get feedback and input from a range of young people from all of the schools so as to obtain a variety of ideas and suggestions for youth events in Lithgow.

COMMENTARY

RECOMMENDATION

THAT: The report on General Business is noted.

MOVED: Melissa Besley

SECONDED: Brenella Rehim

Next Meeting
Tuesday 30 July 2013 at 4.00pm in Council
Chambers