



Minutes

Youth Council Meeting
Tuesday 25 March 2014
Council Chambers
Lithgow City Council
180 Mort Street Lithgow
4.00-5.00pm

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Item Number	Agenda
1	Welcome/present/ apologies
2	Confirmation of minutes
3	Business Arising
4	Youth Week
5	General Business
6	Next Meeting

MINUTES – YOUTH COUNCIL COMMITTEE – 25 MARCH 2014



ITEM: 1 PRESENT AND APOLOGIES

PRESENT: Cllr Inzitari, Kane Bott, Melissa Besley, Rachael Besley, Brenella Abdel-Rehim and Daniel Whiteman.

APOLOGIES: Cllr Higlett and Matthew Johnson.

OFFICERS: Juli-Ann Brozek and Melanie Jones.

DECLARATION OF INTERESTS: Nil

ITEM: 2 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETING

There was no quorum for the previous meeting.

ACTION

THAT

MOVED:

SECONDED:

ITEM: 3 BUSINESS ARISING

SUMMARY

ACTION/RECOMMENDATION

THAT

MOVED:

SECONDED:

ITEM: 4 YOUTH WEEK

SUMMARY

Update on the planning for Youth Week 2014

Youth Week celebrations are booked for Saturday 12 April and plans for entertainment are coming together with bookings for both Newtons Nation to provide BMX and scooter demonstrations and coaching, along with a rock climbing wall. The day will be held at the Lithgow Skate Park and will run from 10.00-2.00pm. The Lion's Club is booked to provide a free BBQ and refreshments. Other activities such as a basketball clinic and Crossfit demonstrations are still being sourced. The Youth Council decided that music would not be part of the 2014 Youth Week event due to the difficulty of finding a suitable local band and minimising the audience due to choosing a music genre. Advertising with the radio station and the Lithgow Mercury will be organised in the next week and posters will be circulated to local services and businesses.

ACTION/RECOMMENDATION

THAT The update on Youth Week is noted.

MOVED: Brenella Abdel-Rehim

SECONDED: Melissa Besley

ITEM: 5 GENERAL BUSINESS

SUMMARY

5.1 Update on the Youth Council PCYC Scholarships

The Youth Council PCYC Scholarship Program currently has 14 students who have accepted nominations for the scholarships. Students have commenced their scholarships with the remaining 10 in the process of completing membership forms. Regular contact between the Community Development Officer and the schools will continue to identify new students who may be interested and eligible.

5.2 Youth Space

Possible locations for a potential designated youth space were discussed with the library being acknowledged as a good option. The Union Theatre and the vacant premises next to the Hartley Building (the old lighting shop) were also discussed as possible options. Supervision and funding were discussed as possible barriers.

5.3 New Member Nomination

Rachael Besley has been nominated to join the Youth Council.

ACTION/RECOMMENDATION

THAT The discussion under General Business is noted.

MOVED: Melissa Besley

SECONDED: Kane Bott

ITEM: 6 NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of the Youth Council is Tuesday 29 April 2014 at 4.00pm in the Council Chambers.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 4.35pm