Breckland Youth Council Meeting: 16/02/10 Anglia Room, Elizabeth House, Dereham 4.30-6.30 PM



## **MINUTES:**

- 1. Introduction and apologies
  - Apologies: Jordan Bailey, Cat Lang, Sarah, Richard wills, Lisa Clayton, Lauren Rowland, Billy Brown, Luke Dawson
  - Visitors: Louise, Angie and Paul (PCSO's)
- 2. Minutes from Meeting: 14-01-10
  - The minutes were signed by the chairman and agreed by the council
- 3. Appointment of a new vice-chair for Breckland Youth Council
  - a. Who would like to stand as vice-chair?
    - Stuart Green was proposed as the vice chair.
  - b. Stuart was voted in, with 5 votes in agreement, none against.
- 4. PB feedback from event.

The event was a success, and has managed to raise the profile of BYC. All of the Young people who applied will be awarded with a letter and certificate at school.

- 5. ASDAN meetings with Tracey.
  - All members should now have received a file, and Tracey is working through to make sure she sees everyone.
- Everyone needs to complete their Norfolk Youth Award by the next meeting.
- 6. Visitor: Louise Howes Voluntary Norfolk

- Louise discussed with the youth council about the V involved team in Norfolk. The purpose of the project is to link new people with exciting events in their local community. There are many types of volunteering that occur. The youth council were told of the differences between the types. Volunteering offers skills and experience, and helps people develop new interests. Volunteering offers these experiences. The V involved project offers the V awards, V thank-you, V50 and V impact. As long as projects supports young people, the time spent can be used to work towards the V50 award, and then onto the V impact (100 hours extra). Young people must be aged 16 to 25.
- 7. The year ahead Tracey handed out four sheets, which the youth council had to stick post it notes onto these to answer four questions:
  - What are you going to do for the community?
  - What are you going to do for yourselves?
  - What are you going to do for the Youth Council?
  - How will the Youth Council develop in the next year?

Tracey will feedback to the youth council at the next meeting.

- 8. Date and time of next meeting
  - Monday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2010 4.30-6.30
- Any Other Business: Include matters arising on the next agenda's

Communications. Tracey and Alistrair will sort out a new and efficient system to communicate within the youth council

Data protection. Alistair asked if his laptop is required to be data protection registered. Tracey will find out more about data protection by the next meeting.

British youth council.- Caroline Cox reminded the youth council about the British youth council email youth councillors received.

Signed:
Position:
Date://

Tracey to Action: data protection- Alistair's Laptop.