

BRECKLAND YOUTH COUNCIL

Meeting: 21st April 2010

Anglia Room, Elizabeth House, Dereham

16.30- 18.30



MINUTES:

1. Introduction:
 - Welcome, Visitors and Apologies
 - The acting chairman (Stuart Green) welcomed everyone to the meeting
 - Apologies have been received from:
 - Sally Eastwood, Luke Dawson, Billy Brown, Nathan Jolly and Candice Sears. Sean Ward was absent from the meeting.
2. Minutes:
 - From meeting 15th March 2010. These were signed and agreed.
3. Matters Arising:
 - Communications (we updated Jordan Bailey's email address)
 - Contact Information (including emergency contact information)
Caroline Cox distributed forms for the councilors to fill out to update information on emergency contact details and allergy information.
 - "The Year Ahead" Summary of exercise a Forward plan has been devised.
4. Feedback:
 - Subgroups- mechanics: To organize with Wayland High School to run first session.
5. BYC Convention- August 12th is a British Youth Council convention in York, 3 Youth Councilors will be elected to represent Breckland Youth Council.
6. Commitment- Youth councilors must now take responsibility for the agenda, and suggest items to the secretary.
7. Members Surgeries*- How do we run these? Who will be able to assist with these? Each Councilor should organize a surgery session by the next meeting.

8. Youth Fund for Breckland* O₂ think big project, an application is being put together by Stuart Green. Other funding streams are also being investigated.

9. MYP- Stuart Green- Stuart was recently elected into office for the next two years. Stuart told the youth council about what the UKYP is planning to do and what their policies are for the next year: - Cheaper bus fares, Scrap University fees, and more political education for young people. The youth council and district council are also offering full support and help for Stuart.

10. Next meeting:
 - 17th May 2010
 - Agenda Items to Alistair by the 10th of May

11. Any Other Business:
 - Shadow a councilor/ director- all present at the meeting would like to be involved with this project.
 - New Sub Groups from May.
 - Participatory Budgeting
 - Young Peoples Pride Awards
 - Litter picks. Each High School to organize a litter pick day (date to be confirmed by the next meeting)

Main Meeting Close

(* All items highlighted by youth councilors as projects we would like to carry out during: "the year ahead" exercise during the February meeting)

TO ACTION:

- Question Time Event- June
- Councilor surgeries
- Breckland Youth Council Handbook/ video diary
- New Sub Groups.
- Litter Picks.

Signed:

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Date: .../.../...

Position.....