



Youth Cabinet Meeting

Date & Time: Monday 5th July 2010
4.30 – 7pm

Location: Room 11 Civic Offices

Attendance:

Hazel Fransch	Vanessa Tarrier	Sally Nunekpeku
Graham Findlay	Matthew Mills	Franceska Curtis
Sean Barnes	Alex Price	Kayleigh Fox
Jessica Hill		

Apologies: Chelsie Kirk Katie Cooper Lauren Brundell

Visitors: Sue Payne Will Spurgeon

		Member	Deadline
1.0	Minutes of Previous Meeting/Updates		
	Confirmed as a true account.		

2.0	<p>Campaign Update</p> <p><u>Health:</u></p> <p>Not much has been completed. Looking to start planning for upcoming focus.</p> <p><u>All In 1 Card:</u></p> <p>Awaiting schools to get back. £850 in total received from the Vodaphone Award which will be going towards the launch of the card.</p> <p><u>Youth Provision:</u></p> <p>Mystery Visits – Test run at The Point. Support needed from the rest of YCAB, the visits will definitely be started by September 2010. The adult group is reimbursed their travel expenses and Youth Provisions will be looking to arrange the same as then the young people can also feedback on their travel experiences i.e. buses.</p> <p>The radio advert on Heart has been running for a few weeks – the group have some queries over the times that it has been heard i.e. late at night, when young people are at school etc.</p>		
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3.0	Constitution		
	Not discussed at this meeting.		
4.0	Vacancies/Membership		
	Not discussed at this meeting.		
5.0	Finance		
	<p>CRL and EH informed the group that they had been successful in their funding bid and the following amount of funding had been secured for the financial year:</p> <p>Youth Cabinet: £1720 UKYP: £2130</p> <p>CRL & EH informed the meeting that YCAB and UKYP budgets will be split from now on to make it easier for both groups.</p> <p>CRL will now start work on the budget spreadsheets for 2010/2011.</p> <p>Matt asked if it was still possible to visit Wales as had been previously discussed – agreed to place on hold due to budget constraints.</p>	CRL	02.08.10
6.0	UKYP		
	<p>Last Saturday UKYP attended a regional meeting in Oxford; Sean chaired the meeting and did very well.</p> <p>Campaign – Letters have been sent out to head teachers and responses will be chased.</p>		

7.0	<p>Any Other Business</p> <p><u>Will Spurgeon (WS):</u></p> <p>WS attended the meeting to provide the group with an update since his last visit. It has been agreed that on 21.07.10 WS will take a report on the strategy to a meeting.</p> <p>WS handed out a copy of the 'Participation Charter'; he went through each of the key points and asked for feedback with the group.</p> <p>WS would like to write a CYP booklet, he asked for a small group of volunteers to help him look into this: Graham, Sally, Jess, Kayleigh and Fran put themselves forward. WS to email information to EH</p> <p>WS asked for volunteers to do a presentation to the CYP Select Committee on the 20.07.10 @ 7.30pm, the presentation needs to explain the role, function and impact of YCAB, it needs to last 10-15 minutes and then question and answer session will follow. Graham, Jess and Kayleigh put themselves forward for this task.</p> <p><u>Sue Payne (SP):</u></p> <p>SP came to the meeting to discuss Area Forums and to update YCAB members of the work that is currently being carried out on them.</p> <p>They will be held in school time in both primary and secondary schools, most probably School Council representatives to meetings based by area so that there are less people. They will be held termly and YCAB will be asked to facilitate.</p>	WS	ASAP
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7.1	<p>Any Other Business continued...</p> <p>Key points of above plan:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Areas seen as a good idea • Head from each area can feed back to YCAB • Questions can be decided or very open • Only being school council members would give continuity • Limits number of participants from each school <p>Representative from the meeting to report back to YCAB or YCAB to attend and report back to the meeting? YCAB members are to be invited to the next planning meeting – Time and date to be supplied.</p> <p><u>Milton Keynes Safe Guarding Children’s Board (MKSGCB):</u></p> <p>SP informed the group that the MKSGCB wants to consult with young people, and has requested feedback from the group on their website. SP handed out screen prints of particular pages to the group and asked for their feedback:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Too much writing • Not enough pictures • Should be the basics then links • Useful links should be in bold/red • Words used are not young people friendly • All the pages look the same • Different age sections <p>Only one YCAB member could confirm that they had seen the posters regarding MKSGCB at school. The group agreed that they would like to help to redesign the website.</p> <p><u>Chair:</u></p> <p>The group was able to vote for a new Chair/Vice Chair and the result was as follows:</p> <p>Chair Vanessa Tarrier Vice Chair Graham Findlay</p> <p>Both Chair and Vice Chair were reminded of their responsibilities i.e. agenda etc</p>	EH	ASAP
		SP	



7.2	<p>Any Other Business continued...</p> <p><u>Jessica:</u></p> <p>Jess informed the meeting that they was a chance she may be stepping down from YCAB due to the possibility of her being awarded a scholarship to a school in Spain. Jess will not know if she is going or not until she receives her GCSE grades. The group wished Jess good luck, but would be sorry to see her go if she was successful.</p> <p><u>MySayMK Conference:</u></p> <p>Able to help on the day: Fran Matt Hazel Jess Kayleigh</p> <p>Presentation on the day: Jess Kayleigh</p> <p>Emma reminded the members that would be attending the YCAB t-shirts needed to be worn on the day. Hazel needs to be issued with a t-shirt.</p> <p><u>Sally:</u></p> <p>Sally expressed her concern to the group that some members are extremely quiet during meetings and that they may feel that they are being dominated buy the more vocal members of the group. The group responded that some people are naturally more reserved but felt confident to speak up if they had something to say.</p> <p><u>LSP Meeting:</u></p> <p>Graham, Matt and Sean attended a meeting last Thursday in which they discussed LSP as a whole, suggestions were taken on how to continue due to the government cuts of 4.6 million in 3 years. Graham expressed a concern over the groups and the reasons for the meetings.</p> <p><u>Graham:</u></p> <p>Graham informed the meeting that he had attended the new Mayors Civic Service, during which he had spoken to the new Mayor.</p>	ALL	07.07.10
		ALL	Ongoing



8.0	Date of Next Meeting
	Monday 6 th September 2010 in Room 2 @ 4.30pm