YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL



MEETING OF THE JOONDALUP NORTH YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL HELD IN CONFERENCE ROOM 2 (JOONDALUP CIVIC CHAMBERS) ON MONDAY 15 APRIL 2002.

City of Joondalup

ATTENDANCES

Viet Nguyen - Chairperson Annie Rosser Mat Wright Annique Lynch Jeremy Manning - Youth Project Officer

APOLOGIES

John Saratsis

The Chairperson opened the meeting at 5.00pm.

INTRODUCTIONS / WELCOME

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

The minutes from the meeting were not confirmed, as a quorum was not reached in this meeting. For this reason the meeting was informal.

MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES

1. Youth Information Project - Planning

Viet Nguyen updated members on the progress of the Youth Information Project and suggested that the Youth Advisory Council needs to decide an approach for this project so that the project can be implemented as soon as possible. Some examples of other similar projects were distributed to members and discussion followed regarding the most appropriate method. Annique Lynch expressed concern that, given the poor attendance at this meeting, it would be difficult and unfair to determine a direction at this stage. It was suggested that a meeting be held to discuss the direction of the project. Members decided that Friday 19 April at 4.30pm would be an appropriate time for this meeting.

Jeremy Manning asked that members contact others to inform them of this meeting.

ACTION

1. Members to contact other Youth Advisory Council members to inform them of the meeting

2. Station Y and Festival float – Debrief

Members discussed the success of the Station Y Youth tent at Joondalup Festival. The consensus was that the event had been very successful with and excellent attendance for most of the program. Suggestions were made to improve the diversity of the program and the integration of the program into the larger festival. A suggestion was made to incorporate a dance party into the festival immediately following the parade to ensure promotion to the numerous young people who attend the festival.

The members of the Youth Advisory Council also took the opportunity to thank Tarryn who assisted with the artistic development of the Station Y tent. Tarryn was presented with a bunch of flowers in appreciation of her hard work in the lead-up to the event.

ACTION

No action required

3. Gecko's Pizza bar – Planning

Jeremy Manning reported on the progress of the proposal and invited two representatives of the YAC to work with the CBD promotions officer to progress this project. Members suggested that Anna Kim and Suzanne Akila had been involved in the CBD project and suggested that they wish to continue their involvement.

ACTION

1. Suzanne Akila and Anna Kim be invited to take part in the working group for the Geckoes Pizza promotion.

4. Dance Party – Debrief

Members discussed some reasons to account for the poor attendance at Illumin8 on the previous Saturday. A common issue was the amount of time that was available to sell the tickets to the event. Members felt that this made it very difficult to sell the tickets. Other members expressed that they felt that the YAC had been involved in a number of recent events and the dance party seemed to "creep up" on them.

Annique Lynch reported that she felt the production side of the event was really well organized and that young people would have enjoyed the event. She felt that it was a shame that more young people had not been there to enjoy it as well.

Jeremy Manning reported that he had received 7 phone calls prior to the event from parents inquiring about the level of supervision at the event. It was suggested that some community sponsors be added to the poster to provide parent credibility to the event.

ACTION

No action required

5. Road safety Project Presentation

Jeremy Manning circulated correspondence from the Young Road Users Taskforce inviting members to present the Reunion Road Safety video at their meeting on the 22 May 2002. Members suggested that Tim Lee and Anna Kim be invited to attend this presentation. Jeremy Manning undertook to organize a meeting to prepare the presentation in the near future.

ACTION

1. Jeremy Manning to approach Anna Kim and Tim Lee to attend the presentation and to organise a meeting to begin preparing for the presentation

STANDING ITEMS OF BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Youth Advisory Council nominations

Jeremy Manning reported that it would be important to begin recruiting for new members in the near future. He suggested that the recruitment drive would fit well alongside the School Liaison program. Members agreed with this and suggested that a PowerPoint display be developed to present at each school.

ACTION

1. Jeremy Manning to develop a PowerPoint display for school presentations.

NEXT MEETING

Date: Monday 20 May 2002 Time: 5.00pm to 7.00pm

Venue: Conference Room 2, Civic Centre

There being no further business, the Chairperson closed the meeting at 6.00 pm.