

# YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL



*City of*  
Joondalup

**MEETING OF THE JOONDALUP NORTH YOUTH ADVISORY  
COUNCIL HELD IN THE LIBRARY TRAINING ROOM ON MONDAY  
16 OCTOBER 2000.**

## **ATTENDANCES**

Traceylee McDonald  
Joshua King  
Aman Pabla  
Viet Nguyen  
Jennifer Dedman  
John Saratsis  
Anna Kim  
Sara McMillan  
Tim Lee  
Suzanne Akila  
Phillipa Brown

Cr John Hollywood  
  
Belinda Martin  
Youth Development Officer  
  
Susan Clear  
Coordinator – Children and  
Family Services  
  
Corine Van Hall  
Special Events Officer  
  
Cindy Glassie  
Student

## **APOLOGIES**

**The Chairperson opened the meeting at 4.35pm**

## **CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES**

**MOVED:** Jennifer Dedman **SECONDED:** Sara McMillan that the minutes of the Joondalup North Youth Advisory Council meeting held on 18 September as above, be confirmed as a true and correct record.

The motion was put and

**CARRIED**

## **INTRODUCTIONS / WELCOMES**

## **GENERAL BUSINESS**

### **1. Joondalup Festival**

Corine Van Hall presented an overview of the Joondalup Festival 2000. She outlined features of the year 2001 program including the Street Parade, involvement of dance groups and the Worn Out / Worn Art presentation. Members were invited to have a stronger involvement in the 2001 festival with the possibility of setting up and running a temporary Youth Lounge for the duration of the festival. Some features of this lounge could be;

- Video or Radio Broadcasts
- An opportunity to conduct the Youth Survey.
- Temporary lounge set up with lamps

It was suggested that workshops such as Scratch DJ or Mural Arts could be conducted. The following members expressed a wish to be involved;

Joshua King	John Saratsis
Jenny Dedman	Sarah McMillan
Traceylee McDonald	Anna Kim
Suzanne Akila	Tim Lee

A planning meeting will be held before the end of the year and further meetings prior to the festival. Jeremy Manning will organise these meetings and liase with Youth Advisory Council members.

### **2. PCYC Proposal**

Susan Clear outlined the PCYC proposal to build a Youth Centre at Arena Joondalup. She emphasised that the proposal was still at a conceptual stage. The Youth Advisory Council will be kept informed of the progress of the proposal.

### **3. Meeting venue**

Members discussed the possibility of changing the meeting venue to the City of Joondalup's Council Committee Rooms.

Viet Nguyen moved a motion to move the meeting to Council committee rooms on a trial basis for two months.

**SECONDED:** Suzanne Akila  
**CARRIED**

### **4. YAC Action Plan**

Susan Clear outlined the proposal to run an action planning session with members of the Youth Advisory Council and asked for feedback. Members were interested in the idea and discussed times for the planning session.

### **5. Youth Rally Team**

Belinda Martin highlighted the program launch on Sunday, October 22 and asked if any members would be interested in attending the launch. John Saratsis and Tracey McDonald volunteered. Jeremy Manning will provide further details.

A ticket in the Lotteries Corporate Box on the first evening of Rally Australia at Langley Park was offered to members. Jeremy Manning will select an appropriate recipient based on their contribution to the Youth Advisory Council over the past year.

## **6. Rockit Festival**

The Chief Executive Officer has offered one 18+ ticket to members for the Rockit Music Festival. Members decided that Aman Pabla should receive the ticket.

## **MEMBER REPORTS**

Joshua King reported that he had completed 3 of the Youth surveys. He highlighted five issues for discussion. These were;

- Teen suicide;
- Teen pregnancy;
- Environmental issues such as clearing of land at Central Park and Neil Hawkins Park;
- Whaling and
- Friendship.

A problem at Whitfords Shopping Centre was highlighted. The parking area adjacent to Intencity was extremely busy and was dangerous because a number of young people moved through the area to access the shops. It was suggested that it be designed as a drop off zone. It was also suggested that the lighting in the underground carpark was inadequate.

Iceskating, a sports day and a bowling competition were recommended as upcoming social events. It was decided that these ideas could be addressed as a part of the Action Planning session.

## **7. Music Project**

Members questioned the current status of the music project. Members discussed linking the music project to Extreme Expo by conducting competitions in the lead up to the Expo. Belinda Martin will follow up this idea as a part of the City of Joondalup Music Program. It could also be incorporated in the Youth Advisory Council Action Plan.

## **8. Ocean Reef Residents Association**

Aman Pabla is a regular attendee at these meetings and invited other young residents of the area to attend the meeting with her. Sarah McMillan and Jenny Dedman expressed an interest in attending the meeting.

## **NEXT MEETING**

Date	<b>Monday 13 November, 2000</b>
Time	4.30 PM
Venue	Conference room 1 – Council Chambers

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