

PERSHORE COMMUNITY YOUTH COUNCIL MEETING
8th January 2020

Minutes of the meeting of Pershore Community Youth Council, held at Pershore High School, Station Road, Pershore, Commencing at 2.00pm

Present:- Youth Cllr Kira Gill
Youth Cllr Jacob Archer
Youth Cllr Kayleigh Cottrill
Youth Cllr Louis Dall
Youth Cllr Daniel Faizey
Youth Cllr Logan Kempson
Youth Cllr Victor Ledbury
Youth Cllr Julia Meadows
Youth Cllr Jake Nicholson
Youth Cllr Nico Skinner

Items from members of the public

652. Apologies

Apologies were accepted from Cllr Chris Parsons who had a prior engagement and Youth Cllr Ronan Warner who had an exam in school.

653. Declarations of Interest

There were none

654. Youth Mayor's Announcements

Youth Cllr Gill welcomed everyone back following the Christmas break and wished all members a Happy New Year.

655. Items brought to members attention by the Town Clerk

There were none

656. Minutes

It was proposed by Youth Cllr Kempson, seconded by Youth Cllr Meadows and RESOLVED that the minutes of the meeting held 4th December 2019 be signed as a true record of the proceedings.

657. Matters of Report from the Minutes

The Clerk had contacted the Co-Op regarding bag packing and a response was awaited.

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658. Christmas Light switch on

The Clerk advised that she had spoken to both the District Council and police and the biggest drawback to the use of Broad Street was the requirement for lanes to be left open for buses. It had been suggested that the possibility of moving the event to later in the day be explored when such an issue may not arise.

It was agreed this be debated again at the next meeting.

659. Public Transport in the area

- a. It was agreed some members would try to attend one of the public meetings to be held shortly.
- b. The Clerk was asked to ascertain when Worcester Parkway railway station would open and it was agreed she would report back to the next meeting of the Youth Council.

660. Policing in Pershore

Members raised again the issue of drug use outside the rear of the Leisure Centre with the smell coming through the doors through the air vents. The Clerk confirmed that she had advised the police but would do so again. The Clerk advised that she was aware that there were some additional anti social behaviour issues at present which the police were in the process of dealing with. It was suggested that the school warn all students that the police are planning to take action whenever necessary on such behaviour including prosecutions.

661. Youth Council Projects

Youth Cllr Gill agreed to speak to Mr Hanson to see whether a coffee morning in school was possible and report to the February meeting.

The coffee morning for 25th January was booked and permission letters were distributed. It was agreed these be returned by the following Monday so that there was time for the event to be cancelled if there were insufficient helpers on the day. It was suggested a letter go to all students in the school asking for their support and explaining what the Youth Council was raising money for.

Youth Cllrs Meadows and Kempson agreed to speak to food technology staff at the school to see whether a “cake bake off” could be organised to raise funds.

662. Environment issues

It was noted that there was still no Eco Group in school and Youth Cllrs Skinner and Archer agreed to speak to Miss Knight and Miss Manifold to see whether it could be reformed.

663. Riverside Youth Centre

There was nothing to report.

664. Items for a future agenda

Possible bag packing in the Co – op

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665. Items for information

There were none

666. Date of next meeting

The next meeting of the Youth Council would be on Wednesday 5th February 2020 at the Town Hall at 2.00pm

Future meetings would be:-

4 th March at school	2.00pm
1 st April at the Town Hall	2.00pm
6 th May at school	2.00pm
3 rd June at the Town Hall	2.00pm
1 st July at school	2.00pm

There being no further business the meeting closed at 15:00

Signed.....Date.....

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