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**PERSHORE COMMUNITY YOUTH COUNCIL MEETING**  
**22<sup>nd</sup> June 2015**

Minutes of the meeting of Pershore Community Youth Council, held at the Town Hall, 34 High Street,  
Persnore, Commencing at 2.00pm

Present:- Youth Cllr Rebecca Wallbank (Youth Mayor)  
Youth Cllr Oliver Bradstock  
Youth Cllr Thomas Parkinson  
Youth Cllr Josh Pearson  
Cllr Tony Rowley  
Youth Cllr Adam Rowling  
Youth Cllr Charlotte Whitehead

**Items raised by members of the public**

There were none

Cllr Rowley presented Youth Cllr Wallbank with a certificate of appreciation of her work as Youth Mayor for the past year.

**845. Apologies**

Apologies were received from Youth Cllr Bethany Ireland

**846. Declarations of Interest**

There were none

**847. Youth Mayor's Announcements**

The Youth Mayor thanked everyone for their work as Youth Councillors over the past year.

**848. Items brought to members attention by the Town Clerk**

The Clerk thanked members, including the Youth Mayor for a successful year, particularly the Music Festival which had made a profit.

Mr Clive Corbett added his thanks to the Clerk and to Cllr Rowley. He suggested members might like to consider traffic on Station Road as a future agenda item.

**849. Minutes**

It was proposed by Youth Cllr Bradstock, seconded by Youth Cllr Whitehead and RESOLVED that the minutes of the meeting held 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2015 be signed as a true record of the proceedings.

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**850. Matters of Report**

- a. The Clerk advised that Cllr Liz Tucker has agreed to take up the issue of the safety of the Three Springs Road junction on behalf of the Youth Council.
- b. It was agreed the Youth Council noticeboard be deferred to the first meeting of the new council.
- c. The Clerk advised that the additional page for the Youth Council on the Town Council website was in the process of being set up.
- d. The Clerk advised that Rotary had kindly donated £100 towards the cost of the Music Festival and a letter of thanks would be sent following this meeting.

**851. Public Transport in the area**

Youth Cllr Bradstock asked for some clarification regarding the purchase of train tickets when there was either no ticket office at the station or the ticket office was closed. He had been advised by a guard that it was his responsibility to seek out the guard to purchase a ticket rather than wait for the guard to ask to see his ticket and purchase one then.

Cllr Rowley agreed to speak to Cllr Palfrey to obtain this clarification.

**852. Policing in Pershore**

It was agreed to invite P C Woods or one of the CSOs to the next meeting of the Youth Council

**853. Youth Council projects**

Members considered various suggestions for the new Youth Council to be debated in September. These included:-

- A festival in Abbey Park
- Extension to the skate park
- Participating in the Town Plan
- An Easter Egg hunt

Helping the Town Council with the Holloway land and the Family History Research centre

**854. Christmas Light switch on 2015**

The Clerk advised that she had invited the Chamber of Trade and Mr Steve Knight to attend the training meeting of the new Youth Council on 13<sup>th</sup> July at 2.15pm at the High School

**855. Pershore Riverside Youth Centre**

As a number of the Youth Councillors had not been to the centre it was agreed the Clerk arrange for one of the meetings in the next year to be held there.

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**856. Items for future agenda**

Traffic on Station Road

**Items for Information**

It was noted that there would be a meeting of the newly elected Youth Council on 13<sup>th</sup> July at 2.15pm at the High School. In addition to the Chamber of Trade, Youth Cllr Pearson offered to produce a short presentation for new members giving them an insight into the benefits of being a member.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 2.45pm.

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

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