

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
YOUTH ACTION GROUP COMMITTEE
ON 28 JUNE 2018 at 5:30PM
ANDY MCNEILL ROOM, CIVIC CENTRE, TODD STREET

1. ATTENDANCE AND APOLOGIES:

PRESENT:

Youssef Saudie, Youth Services Officer – ASTC (*Chair and Minutes*)
Joe Weiley, Community Projects and Events Officer - ASTC
Councillor Matthew Paterson
Sarna Stuart
Georgia O'Neill

APOLOGIES:

Mayor Damien Ryan
Rex Mooney, Chief Executive Officer - ASTC
Biggi Gosling, Acting Director Corporate & Community Services – ASTC
Micheal Smith, Community & Cultural Development Manager – ASTC
Jeanette Shepherd, Community Development Officer - ASTC
Councillor Jacinta Price
Molly Prow
Leah Braham
Alyssa Verceles
Annabelle Gunner
Alexandra Rosewarne
Ryan Cooke
Hannah Majcov
Sam Rizvi
Jeremiah Daniels
Kaleel Ross
Aaron Kemp
Shyann Edwards
Emily Rose
Sam Rizvi
Lucy Adams

The meeting opened at 5:30pm.

2. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS:

RESOLVED:

That it be a recommendation to Council:

That the minutes of meeting held on 31 May 2018 be confirmed as a true and correct record of the proceedings of that meeting.

Moved: Georgia O'Neill

Seconded: Sarna Stuart

3. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS

3.1 Phoney Film Festival – 17th July

Youth Services Officer discussed the progression of how the Phoney Film Festival has been promoted and talked about the upcoming Phoney Film Festival Workshop, to find if anyone was interested in attending it. Youth Services Officer also found 2 YAG members expressing interest in still making a Youth Action Group Phoney Film Festival video.

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to meet with the YAG to create a video to enter for the Phoney Film Festival.

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to provide Phoney Film Festival screening posters to YAG members.

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to find volunteers for the Phoney Film Festival screening.

3.2 Youth Art and Music (YAM) Festival

Youth Services Officer discussed the progression of the YAM festival art competition idea brought up in the last meeting and talked about Headspace's contribution to the festival and referred to Community Projects and Events Officer to explain further of what will be included in the YAM festival. Sarna discussed a possible DJ 'Missy' who could perform at the YAM festival through his previous DJ experience. Youth Services Officer had YAG members to start talking about a rough schedule for the YAM festival. Georgia talked about how the schedule depends on when the headline music performances will be. Youth Services Officer then asked if YAG members preferred having an Open Mic or Battle of the Bands, and found that the YAG members preferred Open Mic.

Discussion Ensued

3.3 'Movie Marathons' during the holidays

Youth Services Officer discussed the Movie Marathons happening during the holidays and found that Sarna was interested in volunteering on the day after the Alice Springs Show. Georgia also said that she can share the event on social media including the Community Forum Facebook group.

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to remind Georgia to share the Movie Marathon events

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to drop Sarna off to the Alice Springs Cinema after the show on July 6 so she can volunteer at the Movie Marathon.

ACTION:

Have to provide Movie Marathon posters for the YAG members.

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to meet with the YAG to create a PFF promo video and to create a separate video to enter for the PFF.

4. DEPUTATIONS

NIL

5. OTHER BUSINESS

5.1 Street Art

Youth Services Officer discussed the unrealistic idea of having a changeable Street Art wall and read out the email that the Manager of Community and Cultural Development – ASTC sent him in regards to having a Street Art Festival and explained that the project is vague at this point. Georgia also discussed an idea that was mentioned in the last meeting of providing youth the opportunity to create poster designs to show up in Alice Springs that have slogans with them that relate to social issues in Alice Springs.

Discussion Ensued.

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to discuss with Community Development Officer about having posters with artwork and slogans around town and how it can be done.

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to discuss with the Manager of Community and Cultural Development regarding the street art project.

5.2 Youth Activity in Alice Springs

Youth Services Officer and Community Projects and Events Officer discussed an email about the chair of the Alice Springs Bendigo Bank looking for YAG members to be a part of the Alice Springs Bendigo Bank board and if anyone was interested in joining or volunteering for the Alice Springs Bendigo Bank.

Youth Services Officer asked what kind of activities will be included for the YAG stall at the Alice Springs Show. Georgia talked about how the games in last year's YAG stall did not go well. Sarna discussed having an interactive mystery box for people to put their hand in something where people can get prizes for doing it i.e. YAG merchandise. Georgia discussed having a charging station with picnic blankets or seats at the YAG stall so people can come and stay at the YAG stall for longer which can help to promote the YAG in a casual way.

Youth Services Officer discussed the NAIDOC Week YAG stall happening for the 13th of July and asked who can volunteer and agreed on doing the same activities as the Alice Springs Show.

Youth Services Officer discussed his meeting with the 8CCC radio manager, Benjamin Erin about having a YAG show and found that Sarna expressed interest in taking part.

Community Projects and Events Officer asked YAG members on how people get to meetings and discussed how there can be a way to provide lifts for people who don't have a way to get to YAG meetings e.g. the three YAG members from the Gap Youth Centre who couldn't attend the YAG meeting.

Discussion Ensued.

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to have the chair of the Alice Springs Bendigo Bank Board be a deputation for a YAG meeting and discuss what an Alice Springs Bendigo Bank Board member does.

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to find how to get a charging station or chargers for the YAG stall.

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to meet with YAG members to create a mystery box for the Alice Springs show.

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to find suitable picnic blankets or seats for the YAG stall.

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to find practical items for the YAG stall.

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to find additional YAG members to volunteer at the NAIDOC Week YAG stall.

ACTION:

Youth Services Officer to find additional YAG members who would want to be a part of an 8CCC radio YAG show and get in contact with Benjamin Erin to arrange a suitable time to start the project.

ACTION:

Community Projects and Events Officer to find another way for YAG members to come to YAG meetings if they don't have a lift.

6. **Next Meeting:** Thursday 26th of July 2018, 5:30pm

7. **Close:** Meeting closed at 6:30pm