



NOTES OF A MEETING HELD ON 16th July 2004

Venue:
The Committee Room,
Stroud District Council

Time: 4:30pm – 6:00pm

YOUTH COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP:

Louisa Holloway, Archway	A	Alex Farrow, Marling	P
Barney Witts, Archway	A	Dan Rebat, Marling	A
Stuart Byles, Berkeley Vale	A	Alex Chartier, Rednock	P
Daniel Dietschmann, Berkeley Vale	A	Nico Mustafic, Rednock **	P
Ryan Castle, KLB	P	Jo Sealey, Rednock	A
Adam Didcott, KLB	A	Alex Hutchinson, Stroud College	A
Grace Jackson, KLB	A	Katy Dainton, Stroud High	P
Ben Williams KLB	A	Emma Pinchbeck, Stroud High *	P
Jackie Boor, Maidenhill	A	Frankie Rushton, Stroud High	Ap
Carrie Gomarsall, Maidenhill	A	Daniel Marshall, Thomas Keble	A
Danielle Holland	A	Ben Ruggles, Thomas Keble	A
Iman Fadaei, Marling	A	Catherine Jones, ex officio	A
Jenny Dando Stroud High 2004/05	Ap	Ceri Wills Rednock (2004/05)	P
Justine Pemberton Rednock 04/05	Ap		

** = Chair * = Vice-Chair P = present A = absent Ap = apology

OTHERS PRESENT

Steve Miles, Gloucestershire Youth Service

APOLOGIES

Apologies were received from Justine Pemberton, Jennifer Dando, Frankie Rushton, Councillor Barbara Tait, Councillor Miranda Clifton and David Marshall.

NOTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

The notes of the meetings held on 24th May and 5th July 2004 were accepted as correct records by those present.

MATTERS ARISING

There were no matters arising from the previous minutes.

YOUTH CABINET REPORT

Alex Farrow presented the recommendations made for funding by the Youth Cabinet.

Eastcombe Scout & Guide Group	-	Refused
Edge Community Theatre	-	£250
Escapers out of School Club	-	Refused
Inter Primary School Cross-Country League	-	£200
Minchinhampton Youth Club	-	£200
National Trust, South West Gloucestershire	-	£100
Phoenix Playmates	-	Refused
Wotton Youth Centre	-	£400
Wotton Bowls Club, Youth Section	-	£180

Total grants amounted to £1,330.

RESOLVED: That grants be awarded as outlined above.

CONSTITUTION

The Constitution was now in the process of being circulated to all members for comments. Once all comments were in and had been considered, the Constitution will be put to the next AGM for acceptance.

Steve Miles praised the efforts of those who had put the Constitution together in such a short space of time. As a document it was an excellent start and can be reviewed in the light of experience as the Council progresses.

YOUTH COUNCIL GIG

Arrangements were discussed for the Youth Council Gig to be held on Saturday 18th September. The overall cost of the gig was estimated to be about £1,350, including the hire

of a public address system at £250. Members decided to go ahead with the gig at that price with four votes in favour and one abstention.

The cost of tickets was discussed and it was proposed that £5 was the maximum price that most people would be willing to pay. Three members voted in favour of a ticket price of £5 with two abstentions.

Publicity for the Youth Council would be gained by having Stroud District Youth Council printed on the tickets, posters and on a banner to be displayed at the gig.

NEXT YOUTH COUNCIL YEAR

Members discussed ideas for the next Council year due to start in September. It was felt that having a Constitution would give the Council greater credibility and would help to formalise decision making. The gig would help to raise the profile of the Council and this would enable the Council to have an increased involvement with the community.

Steve Miles said that it was planned to hold another away weekend for the Council. This would be an opportunity for all members to focus on the direction the Council should be taking.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The date of the next full Council meeting will be Monday 13th September at 4:30pm.

The meeting finished at 6:00pm