

Congleton Town Council

Minutes of the meeting of the Youth Committee held on Monday 15th October 2013 in the Town Hall, Congleton

PRESENT Youth Councillor Joseph Hearson (Chairman)
Catherine Hassell
Thomas Minshull
Jamie Bernardi
Jordan Goodwin
Tom Heyes
Arabella Holland

Councillor Larry Barker
Councillor Sally Ann Holland
Councillor Liz Wardlaw
Linda Minshull

1. **APOLOGIES**

Apologies were received from Councillor George Hayes.

2. **NEW MEMBERS**

Councillor Larry Barker opened the meeting and welcomed the new members and organised the election of new Chairman and Vice Chairman.

3. **CHAIRMAN AND VICE CHAIRMAN**

RESOLVED – (i) That Joseph Hearson be elected as Chairman of the Youth Committee for the forthcoming year.

(i i) That Catherine Hassell be elected as Vice Chairman of the Youth Committee for the forthcoming year.

The new Chairman took over the Chair for the remainder of the meeting.

4. **MINUTES OF LAST MEETING**

RESOLVED – That the Minutes of the Meeting of the Committee held on 9th September 2013 were signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

5. **YOUTH COMMITTEE CONSTITUTION AND MEMBERSHIP**

Larry gave an update on the constitution and suggested members review the details prior to our next meeting. This item can be discussed again at the next meeting. It was agreed that membership of the committee will also be regularly reviewed.

6. **PAST AND FUTURE PROJECTS**

Linda updated the meeting on past projects and gave suggestions of future events. It was agreed to make a decision at the next meeting.

7. **YOUTH COMMITTEE VOLUNTEERING WEBSITE**

Cathy agreed to lead a sub-group to progress this item, she will report progress at the next meeting.

8. **YOUTH COMMITTEE BANK ACCOUNT**

It was reported that the balance is £673.92.

9. **DRUGS EDUCATION**

Linda informed the meeting of the following dates -

Parents evening meeting – Wed 13th Nov – Town Hall

Drugs Intervention Day at Schools – Wed 27th Nov

Linda will forward further information to members when it is received from Harriet Crompton.

10. **YOUTH COMMITTEE MEMBERS ITEMS**

Badges

Linda distributed badges to new members.

Coffee Morning

There is a booking for a coffee morning at the Library for 26th October. Many members were unable to help as it was the half term holiday and it was agreed to cancel the booking. Linda agreed to cancel the booking at the Library.

Poynton Meeting

Sally, Linda, Joe, Cathy and Thomas attended a meeting at Poynton Town Council to provide information on the Youth Committee. A brief update was given.

Tom Heyes

Tom gave an update on a meeting he had attended regarding School Councils. This item will be put on the agenda for our next meeting.

11. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

None.

12. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Monday 18th November 2013 at 7 p.m.

Joseph Hearson (Chairman)