

**MINUTES FROM THE MEETING OF THE  
SILSDEN YOUTH COUNCIL  
Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2007**

Commenced 6-40 pm

Concluded 7-32 pm

**Present - Silsden Youth Council**

Lindsay Bottomley - (Chair)

Sam Boyes (Vice Chair)

Youth Council Committee Members (4) Jim Atkinson, George Barclay, Will Dovestone, Ben Geary. New Member (1) Harry Barclay.

Cllr. E. Trainor, PC Merifield, Youth Councillor Co-ordinator Cllr P. Bottomley, Retiring Clerk.

**St James Church & Methodist Church Youth Club** - Steve Loryman

**Bradford Youth Services** - Louise Hargreaves.

**Apologies**

Apologies were received from from Cllrs. Elsmore and Walton, Danny Bazylewicz.

**Minutes of the Meeting - 1<sup>st</sup> May, 2007**

The minutes of the meeting were approved, proposed by Jim Atkinson, seconded by Sam Boyes and signed by the Chair.

**Matters arising**

- 1) no response from Catterick - Mayor suggested she write a letter showing her disappointment that young people had been ignored. - suggestion that if this does not work we try other army camps, such as Harrogate or Strensall.
- 2) Chair has filled in all the forms for British Youth Councils - an invoice will go to the Town Clerk for the membership fee.
- 3) Visit to Xscape -The Chair has the forms for the 'Youth Opportunity Fund' - arrange date. We did not ask the co-op if we could do a 'BAG PACK' because we were not sure they would be able to fund such an activity and also several people were away on holiday.
- 4) Sierra Leone - it was suggested we may be able to raise funds for Sierra Leone at the Gala. It was suggested that we sought permission from the Gala Committee.

**Bid to Yorventure**

We now have all the money -just sorting out the details re size, which equipment we are getting.- etc.

**Update on Youth Centre**

CCTV now in place and can be viewed in the Youth Centre - 5 different angles are panned at different times.

Invoice has gone to Town Clerk re electrical equipment - need to pass this information to 'Awards for All' so that they can sign this project off their list.

**Action Earth**

The Youth Councillors have chosen to make both bat & bird boxes - Steve Loryman has kindly offered to oversee this project. Venue Silsden Youth Centre - date to be arranged. **Skateboard**

**Instruction**

3 days will be booked during the Summer Holidays for this - dates will be given at the next meeting. Graffiti Art was also discussed and we have ring fenced money for a course in this.

**NEXT MEETING -10-07-07**

**TWO DATES for your DIARIES - JULY 30th - DOE PARK - AUGUST 10th - LEEDS**