

SILSDEN YOUTH COUNCIL



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MINUTES FROM THE MEETING
OF
SILSDEN YOUTH COUNCIL
TUESDAY 02nd November @ 18.30
in the Council Chambers

Commenced 18.45

Present – S.Y.C Sean Silverwood (Chair), James Loud (Vice Chair) Harry Barclay
Bethany Richardson, Becky Ackroyd, , Lauren Stafford, Hannah
Stafford, Robyn Burden,
Cllr Johnson-Gill, Cllr Bottomley, Cllr Liz Trainor, Gina Bazylewicz

Apologies George Barclay, , Danny Bazylewicz, Christopher Gill
Cllr Ellsmore

Minute of Previous Meeting Approved James Loud
Seconded Robyn Burden

Police Update No Police Attended

Remembrance Sunday Robin Burden, Lauren and Hannah Stafford to Lay wreath, to meet on
Wesley place Car Park at 10.30

Discussions for New Ideas

Park Facilities Carried forward from Previous Meeting

Swing Area – New Rubber Matting required, under swings has worn
away

Young People are missing the Climbing/Monkey Bar Apparatus.

Rocks & Ramps – Ideas to develop this area further will be ongoing.
Ideas of holding a Skating Competition possibly now in 2011, with the
possibility of a graffiti wall to fund raise.

Pavilion – A refreshment area would be a long term development.
Further discussion on this to upgrade to a Wi-Fi internet Café, but

thought costs could be too high for this, and the Youth Club will have this facility already.

Future Projects

Bike Dirt Jump Track – alternative to Rocks & Ramps –To be discussed further.

Trim Track - Cllr Liz Trainor suggested compiling a letter to Silsden Town Council for Possible Funding for this, as this is aimed across the community all age groups.

A Band Stand was also suggested, Cllr Liz Trainor confirmed one has been agreed, and will be erected in the coming months.

New Plans to Urbanise the current Skate Park were presented.

Facebook

Lines of communication for Silsden Y C Members, future meetings etc
A group has now been formed

Raising the profile Of SYC

No Further update on the development of Contacting Hothfield Street Junior School, to give a Power Point Presentation, and short play (Councillor Ashley Johnson-Gill to speak to Mrs Leach on the possibility of this.) Sean Silverwood also raised ideas regarding the possibility of giving the children something to do, ie a competition for a Christmas Light Design or Christmas Card Design .

On the success of the Presentation to Hothfield Street Junior School view to 'Roll out' to South Craven Comprehensive, and Silsden Youth Club.

Poster Design

No Slogan was brought to the meeting, so this is to be reviewed at December meeting, with a view to designing a poster, with a Slogan for the Youth Council.

SYC members confirmed they would like to raise their profile during the Local Gala Event, typically held in July 2011.

SYC also raised the idea of utilising the new band stand with a local Music Festival on a small scale could take place.

Youth Service

Mayor to go on an official visit to the Youth Centre, Cllr Ashley Gill, Cllr Pat Bottomley and Gina Bazylewicz to attend.

Events and activities run by the Youth Service will also be released to the SYC for participating in these events.

NEXT MEETING TO BE HELD TUESDAY 5th January 2011 AT 18.30

Meeting Closed at 19.40