

SILSDEN YOUTH COUNCIL



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MINUTES FROM THE MEETING
OF
SILSDEN YOUTH COUNCIL
TUESDAY 5th October 2010 @ 18.30
in the Council Chambers

Commenced 18.50

Present – S.Y.C James Loud (Vice Chair) Lauren Stafford, Becky Ackroyd, , Robyn Burden, Hannah Stafford,
Cllr Johnson-Gill, Cllr Bottomley, Gina Bazylewicz

Apologies Sean Silverwood, George Barclay, Harry Barclay, Danny Bazylewicz,
Bethany Richardson Christopher Gill
Cllr Elsmore Cllr Liz Trainor

Minute of Previous Meeting Approved James Loud
Seconded Robyn Burden

Police Update No Police Attended

Remembrance Sunday Sunday 14/11 Wreath Ordered

A Representative to lay the wreath for the SYC will also be nominated at next meeting

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.

New Ideas

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

Congratulations to James the Vice Chairman on the initial set up of the Facebook Account – now set a group for all SYC members, however looking into further development. It was thought by all members to be an excellent form of communication, a positive step to raising the profile.

Raising the profile Of SYC

Robin suggested further ideas to raise the profile further, perhaps being involved in the assembly of Hothfield Street Junior School, giving a Power Point Presentation, and short play (Councillor Ashley Johnson-Gill to speak to Mrs Leach on the possibility of this.)

This could also be ‘Rolled out’ to South Craven Comprehensive, and Silsden Youth Club.

To raise the profile further, SYC could have members in the procession promoting the SYC.

It was also thought to design a poster, with a Slogan for the Youth Council, members were to bring this to the November Meeting.

Brought by Youth Members during this meeting, following the challenge set to members during the September.

New Plans to Urbanise the current Skate Park were presented.

NEXT MEETING TO BE HELD TUESDAY 2nd November 2010 AT 18.30

Meeting Closed at 20.10