

MANAWATU DISTRICT YOUTH COUNCIL

MEETING MINUTES

7 SEPTEMBER 2020

Meeting commenced: 5:49pm

Present:

- Youth council members
- Heather Gee-Taylor
- Barbara Bowling
- Shane Casey

Meeting Notes:

1. MDYC Manawatu District

- Meet 8:30 on 28th September outside Council
- Donation of \$100 to Youth Line – HGT to sort
- No Ohakea meeting – that will be done next year
- Dress code is sneakers/gumboots
 - o Agenda:
 - Reservoir @ McDonald Heights
 - Waste Water Treatment
 - Plant Nursery
 - Kitchener Park
 - Sanson: Public Toilets
 - Himatangi Beach and morning tea
 - Back in Feilding @12 roughly
 - Scenic reserve @ Rangiwahia, and how can this be promoted to youth?
 - Apiti – local artist to go and look through the studio
 - Pohongina
 - Mangaweka – bridge this Friday
 - Back at 4:30pm
- Kate and Mangaweka – HGT to check in with her?
- Food:
- One GF and one DF
 - o Morning tea – Tegan & Ollie
 - o Lunch – pizza/sandwiches from Jamal from Sale Yards café, ready from 12 – range of sandwiches, chicken/ham - \$10/person for lunch
 - o Afternoon tea – Harrison & Kate
- RAM – Harrison H&S, potential risks and how we avoid this

2. Young Achievers Award

- Tegan to send HGT email about needing more information
- Firewall issues?
- Not a huge number of schools have replied to conference
- Hata Paroea to be performing Kapa Haka
- Goal of 100% attendance from schools
- Talk to the officer person, ideally talk to the Principal about it
- Write down some key notes around what you're going to be talking about in your phone call – date to have schools in by, we want this information by 14th of September? 11am is good time to be calling these schools
- Theme is Manawatu Semi-Rural – decorations;
 - o Cassidy to come up with job list around people's jobs
 - o Turbines/animals
 - o Dairy cow in the vets
 - o Spaces for sponsors – advertising with their cow?
 - o Photo booth – families with backdrop
 - o Hay bales/plants/wool fadges
 - o Give out plants to people
 - o Little bags with bags of seeds
- HGT to liaise with nursery
- Wildmint – photographer – Alex
- Certificates, citation on the back of the certificate – done already
- Power-point – allocate person to do power point – sponsors \$1200 to list in the paper
 - o Aleesha and Katelyn
- Sponsors for what awards? $8 * \$250 = \$2k$.
 - o *Change Innovator Award*
 - o PGG Wrightson's
 - o Feilding Club of Rotary
 - o *Kaitiakitanga – Norwoods?*
 - o Evolve Fitness – 110% effort
 - o Global HQ
 - o Feilding Districts Youth Board – giving back
 - o *MYA – cultural champion*
 - Property Brokers Farmlands, Norwoods
- HGT to send email to Harrison and Zoe
- Covid-19: level two options: award ceremonies or postpone event 16th September we will know about Covid

3. Youth Strategy and Focus Group

- How are we going to get people to join?
- Pamphlets – sentences
- Long term plan – budgets/where do we see Youth Council in long term
- We have code of conduct/terms of reference are done and official
- This has been a year of pioneering – skate park/leadership weekend etc
- Applications are closing on 1st of November
- **EVERYONE: To tell HGT on October whether you are moving on or staying in the group**
- Applications to be shared on Youth Council page
- Update pic on private page

4. Little Christmas

- Is this something we want to partake in?
- We need to find out more information

5. **Skate Park Opening: Luca to get more information, and will confirm we have enough attendance.**

6. **Rural Day: Luca to get more information, and will confirm we have enough attendance. HGT to get lollies and paddle pop sticks.**

NEXT MEETING TO BE HELD VIA ZOOM, MONDAY 21TH SEPTEMBER @ 7:00PM

Meeting adjourned: 7:01βpm