

MEETING MINUTES	
YOUTH COUNCIL	
MONDAY 17 NOVEMBER 2025	6:05 pm



Minutes of a meeting of the Youth Council held on Monday 17th November 2025, which commenced at 6:05 pm, Te Āhuru Mōwai, Manawatu Community Hub Libraries, Pātiki Tahuaroa room.

Present:	Kahupounamu Potaka (Chair) Kaea Tahi-Martin (Deputy Chair) Ruth Doyle (Finance Officer) Madeleine Lloyd (Marketing/Social Media) Kyle England (Health and Safety Officer) Aislinn Kuriger (Alumni Liaison Officer)	Finn Macdonald Carlota Ramirez Rose Jeffery Sam McLean Wiremu Bray
Attended:	Joey McKechnie (Youth Engagement Co-ordinator) Tori Short (Staff Governance Support) Eric Schuster (Community Support) Barbara Bowling (Community Support)	
Apologies:	Macca, Maarire, Darren	

YC 25-28/001

MEETING OPENING

Kahu opened the meeting with karakia.

YC 25-28/002

APOLOGIES

Macca, Maarire, Darren

YC 25-28/003

END OF YEAR HUI

Group has decided to do Blow Carts in Sanson which will also include a BBQ.
Backup option is Farmers Son.

YC 25-28/004

FINN

Finn discussed the significant life changing events that happened when growing up.
The group asked a few questions.

YC 25-28/005

LYNN

Discussing YC future

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Split into 2 groups.

Council want YC to work more with them (submissions etc) and do less events.

YC 25-28/006

GENERAL BUSINESS

Maddie's friend passed away and she would like to do a fundraiser for Youth Line. 24hr runathon. Sam suggested Lifting the Lid which is another charity that is newer.

Lynn advised if we are interested in Youth Mental Health we could get someone in to chat.

Joey congratulated those who won awards at FAHS prizegiving

Wiremu helped with blue light party.

YC 25-28/007

MEETING CLOSURE

Kahu closed the meeting at 7:47pm with karakia.

The final get together on the year will be blow carting in Sanson. Meet at the Hub at 5pm on **Monday 1st December 2025** and we will make our way to Sanson.