



Minutes of Meeting on 8th May 2017, 6 to 7 pm

Present

Carol Williams
Henry Atkins
Peter Hammerton
Tom Hooker
Alice Boyle
Emily Mackie
Katharine Ridger
Derek Boyle
Elizabeth Thomas

YC 1 Apologies were received from:

- Josh Boyle
- Sophie (YPBS)
- Sarah-Joy Woodcock

The YPBS are looking for other representatives as Joe Angelo is no longer attending and Jay does not want to come alone.

YC 2 Minutes of the last meeting were reviewed, with the following updates:

- Correction of following point: No feedback had been received regarding the role of PWYC in the future and will be reviewed at the next meeting after the holidays
- The Estates Committee have suggested putting an application for graffiti board to the committee for funding.
- A letter has been sent to our KCC Councillor re funding for the YC notice board, as offered by the outgoing Councillor.

YC 3 The PWYC Facebook page was discussed and it was suggested that all members of YC should be administrators. Following discussion, it was agreed that Henry, Emily and Carol would continue for the time being. It was acknowledged that young people below 13 years do not/should not have access to this and we should continue to communicate by email.

YC 4 The purpose of PWYC was discussed with possibility of refocusing the group and purpose (see draft terms of reference). Carol suggested that now the YC has been operating for over a year, we should consider having young people as chair and vice chair with Carol supporting with minutes and agendas. Ideas from Pathfinders about areas PWYC could work on were discussed (see attached) including:

- Swimming pool

- Cycle stands (speak to Friends of Paddock Wood Primary & Mascalls School Council)
- Shelter or trees at bus stops
- More bins – PWTC have agreed to add 8 new bins across the town
- Outdoor campsite – possibly the Elm Tree field

PWYC members also suggested focus on a skate park extension.

YC 5 Submissions for the litter poster competition have been limited, so it is proposed that we advertise this until 5th June and select winners at the next meeting. Advertise on Facebook, Paddockwoodian & Paddock Wood Chat & Share.

YC 6 Carol suggested that in August we have a bbq – date to be agreed

YC 7 Next meeting 12th June 2017, 6 pm, Day Centre, Commercial Road

Next meeting 8th May 2017 at 6 pm in the Day Centre.