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**Minutes of Paddock Wood Youth Council,  
8<sup>th</sup> October, 2018, 6 – 7 pm,  
Day Centre, Dowding House, Commercial Way, Paddock Wood**

**Present**

Emily Mackie, New Gen (Chair)  
Adam Fleming, New Gen  
Amelie Maxwell  
Councillor Eileen Wilson  
Councillor Carol Williams (notes)

**In attendance**

Carole Stirling  
Harriet Wright

**YC 1 Apologies**

Alice Boyle, Guides  
Sarah Woodcock, Youth Leader, St Andrew's Church  
Derek Boyle

**YC 2 Minutes of last meeting & matters arising**

The minutes were not reviewed in detail, as the meeting was focused on selection of the Young Person of the Year.

**YC 3 Young people's award – review of entries & judging**

The group was divided into young people and external judges – each group was asked to score the entries based on a list of criteria agreed for the award. Eileen Wilson had drawn these up into a table, so that each nomination could be scored and recorded.

The group then discussed the outcome of the scoring and agreed the winner and two runners up.

#### **YC 4 Plans to present award**

The purchase of the award was discussed. It was agreed that a wall plaque would be purchased and a single award for the winner, with certificates for the runners up. The certificates will be made from the posters, with the date of the ward added.

EM suggested that we ask the Young Person to nominate a charity, which the Youth Council with support with publicity and possible fund raising over the next year.

SW to provide contact details and EM/CW will contact the winners.

SW to purchase the awards and prizes – CW to scan documents to her.

#### **YC 5 Any other business**

None

**Next meeting:** 12<sup>th</sup> November 2018, 6 – 7 pm, Day Centre, Commercial Road, Paddock Wood