



Manurewa Youth Council Meeting Minutes

Southmall | Wednesday 24th May | 6:30pm – 8:30pm

In attendance: Talei, Chloe, Damian, Sally, Adayla, Melissa, Tui, Brittney, John, Melissa WSB, Jacinta, Damian, Grace

1. Karakia
2. Welcome
3. Apologies Monique, Porsha, K'leb <i>Seconded by Brittney</i>
4. Pass previous minutes <i>Seconded by Damian</i>
5. UPDATES
<p>High Schools</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Manurewa High School</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Exam week begins tomorrow ○ T-Shirt Day on Friday ○ 40 hour famine donations have begun • <u>Alfriston College</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ School Choir competition preparations has begun ○ Can Drive still on ○ Cross Country and Speech Competition next week <p>Chair (Chloe & Damian)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Civics Engagement Plan – Councils around Auckland commending MYC for being the model to be following for the youths. • Local Board Update – Board really happy with Youth Council's achievements. <p><i>Seconded by Mauga</i></p>
6. UPCOMING EVENTS
<p>Will all be up on Facebook page</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Impacting Clendon, Saturday 27 May, 9am-12pm, WINZ Office, Clendon Town Centre • Clendon Open Stage Challenge, Friday 2 June, 7pm-9:30pm, Clendon Rec Centre • Manurewa Town Centre Clean-up, Saturday 10 June, 8:30am, Manukau Beautification Trust. • Block Party by TOP Squad on Facebook • Count Your Voice, Thursday 25th June, 5:30pm-7:30pm, Nathan Homestead <p><i>Seconded by Adayla</i></p>

<p>7. Newsletter</p> <p>Brittney, Sally, Adayla, Monique, Chloe designed a fold out like magazine. Easy to read and carry, sections separated into folds, can post up on wall to view. Will be printed and ready by Monday 29 May.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Present final draft • Final feedback <p><i>Seconded by Tui</i></p>
<p>8. Sausage Sizzle</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Final details/reminders ○ Gloves and Youth Council shirts/hoodies to be worn. ○ <u>Manurewa High on Tuesday 30th May</u> – Mougga, Monique and Melissa attending. School lunch time at 1:40pm, members be there by 1pm. Jacinta will be delivering sausages, tomatoes, bread and oil at Sally's. ○ <u>Alfriston College on Wednesday 31st May</u> – Brittney, Chloe, Talei and Monique will be there. Be there by 12:30pm. Chloe will have sausages. ○ <u>James Cook on Friday 2nd June</u> – Damian, Gauri, K'leb, Arleen, Mauga, Melissa WSB and Brittney. Be there by 1pm. Damian will have sausages. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chalkboard will be up to address Youth Space. <p><i>Seconded by Mauga</i></p>
<p>9. Financial Update (Brittney)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See attached for the total • Funds for promoting are specifically for promoting sponsored Facebook posts • Ken Penney donated for pizza • Pass Budget for Flag investment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Quote approximately \$900 for 2 flags. Blade-2-Go flags, with logo on it for rebranding. - Pass <p><i>Seconded by John</i></p>
<p>10. Youth Space Recap (Chloe)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community- wifi access, artwork, food, chilled and relaxed • Space for 12-24 year olds, adult supervision, open for the public under

the supervision of an MYC member.

- Operations Manager will be put in place to look after the space from day to day. Conditions are rigorous interview process, will be paying them (funding with Local Board), preference Youth Worker.
- Available for hire online
- Risk Management- valuables lock up, have a good insurance policy for property, sign in process with ID check, 3 staff minimum with Operational Manager, good CCTV, lighting in stairwell, Wi-Fi password changed weekly. Need to have good referral system.
- Purpose of space
 - Having a safe place for people to chill
 - The home for MYC for meetings and office space
 - Opportunity hub for careers
 - Exhibit space for art
 - Study space with academic support
- Holding workshop on variety of topics
- Have a suggestion box, getting feedback from the community
- Art installations and facilities for studies
- Monday to Friday – 3pm to 7pm
- Focus on beanbags, sound system, office stuff, notice board (newsletter display), kitchenette, MYC artwork that we all do, computer lab and facilities, bookshelf, chalkboard/whiteboard.
- 1st June beginning of renovations, every weekend from there (in the afternoon).
- Target move in date is Tuesday 1st August

Secoded by Sally

11. June Planning

- Submissions: Window Washers
 - Submissions are due in June 1st, so will not take place
 - Members to post up any ideas on slack regarding this submission if any
 - Homelessness, Bullying, Study groups
- Young Leaders' Conference still on this year –
- Further planning subcommittee: Damian, Brittney, Adayla, Sally, Melissa, John, Jacinta

Secoded by Brittney

12. FTF Tickets

- 10 tickets available – can increase budge to allow Community to apply also, but will need more transport.
- 10 applications from MYC members.
- 7 MYC Members and 3 Community members will be chosen to go
- Community tickets will be decided through Facebook competition for students , decided by MYC members
- Early bird tickets on May 31st

Secoded by Brittney

13. General Business

- Adayla asking for inspirational Samoan quote to put up for Social Media Campaign. She spoke with Helen for Crowdsourcing, approached by Rose from Auckland Council wanting to start initiative for empty shops to be a space for youth art (tattoo, graffiti) if anyone has connections let her know. Hazel has opportunity for funding, if MYC wants to hold concert they could supply speakers and facilities. Melanie has \$10,000 to spend for Civil Defense in Manurewa.
- Mauga asking for ideas for Samoan Language Week, use social media as key point. Every day she will be posting up in Facebook on MYC page a Samoan phrase to advocate the language and youth week.
- Tui had a debate against Takapuna High, represented AC. Topic was Feminists should not watch Bachelorette, her team (affirming) won.
- Debating can be an event for June
- Melissa went to St. John Young Leaders Conference last week
- John attending academic competition next week, Future Problem Solvers.
- Sally alongside her friends joining 40 hour famine, watched Manurewa Netball game.