
The
Manurewa
**YOUTH
COUNCIL**

MONTHLY UPDATE

Hope Walk/Link Fest

Manurewa Youth Council is attending the annual suicide prevention initiative 'Hope Walk' on the 3rd of March. With our circumstances, we prioritised our attendance here at this event to walk alongside an expected 1,500 people who have experienced the loss of a

loved one to suicide.

The walk ends at Central Park in Papakura where the youth council will have a stall as part of the Link Fest held at the end, to close the day off on a high note. TM

FREE ENVIRONMENTAL EYE ON NATURE!

EYE ON NATURE BILINGUAL HUI

MYC has been split down the middle to help support, and facilitate parts of the mahi done at these two events. Our team at the Bilingual Hui will help facilitate the group as it makes its way toward the Marae, from Clendon Park shopping centre. Our team at the Eye on Nature event will help facilitate games, and interactive activities held on the day. Both events are held on the 14th of April.

HEALTHY TREES, HEALTHY ME
Hauroa Rākau, Hauora Aha

APRIL EVENT

We are currently looking into planning a practical skills based event. We are looking to invite organisations, and people from fields that our high school students have highlighted as key knowledge to have in preparation for the world after high school. Fields such as: trades, licenses, work ready/interview skills, inland revenue, and scholarship applications to name a few.

MEMBERS HIGHLIGHT

Buua Redfern, and Sally Pritchard have set up Manurewa High Schools first ever Kiribati Polynesian group. Buua was excited to share her own cultural traditions, and practices with her peers for this years ASB Poly Fest.

John Chen has been awarded the Year 11 Dux award from Manurewa High School. He has also confirmed returning to compete in the Future Problem Solving competition in USA with team mate Aaron Lew



Manurewa Youth Council Meeting Minutes

| Youth Space | Wednesday 31 January 2018

In attendance: Mauga, Damien, Matthew, John, Harleen, Sally, Tui, Aaron, Kata, Quinita, Janny, Age, Brittney, Thomas, Adayla, Melissa, Buua, Fa'a , Sarah (Local Board)

<p>1. Karakia</p> <p>Done by Tui</p>
<p>2. Welcome</p> <p>Chair</p>
<p>3. Apologies</p> <p>Bianca, Pearl</p> <p><i>Secoded by Melissa Wu</i></p>
<p>4. Pass previous minutes</p> <p><i>Secoded by Sally Prichard</i></p>
<p>5. Updates</p> <p>Manurewa High School</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Course confirmation done today. ● Seniors start tomorrow school. ● Juniors start Friday. <p>James Cook High School</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Seniors started yesterday. ● Juniors started orientation today. <p>Alfriston College</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Seniors started yesterday, Yr10's tomorrow, and whole school start Friday, Friday next week is sports day. <p>Chair</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Notice from MBA: Auckland Council doesn't have public bins for businesses in the town centre. Therefore, each business needs to either take home their own rubbish and recycling or pay for bins privately. I recommend Green Gorilla Waste Management if you decide to pay for a service. ● Goals for 2018 have been finalised. ● The December 2017 Local Board update was sent to the Manurewa Local Board yesterday. <p><i>Secoded by Aaron Lew</i></p>

<p>6. Upcoming events</p> <p>Hope Walk</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Attending: Aaron, Adrienne, Penikata, Janny, Quinita, Brittney, Tui, Sally, Harleen, Fa'apaia. <p>Anzac Day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Attending: Aaron, Quinita, Adrienne, Sally, Damian, Harleen, Fa'apaia, Adayla, Melissa, Buua <p>Eye on Nature</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Attending: Matthew, Harleen, John, Tiu, Aaron, Penikata, Fa'apaia, Buua, Brittney, Adrienne, Quinita , Sally, Thomas. <p>MCN</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Attending: Mauga. <p>Counties Manukau Police National Open Day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Attending: Adrienne, Harleen, Buua. <p><i>Secoded by Brittney Flavell</i></p>
<p>7. Purchases</p> <p>Branding uniform</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Allocating \$1500 towards MYC Jumpers, MYC TShirts and MYC business cards. <p>Youth Space</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● MYC signage (door, banners). ● Confirm purchases for: ● Vacuum ● Indoor rubbish bin ● Waste management service ● Coffee table ● Chalkboard paint ● Rugs ● Plants ● Spare key <p>Wreath for ANZAC 2018</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Allocating \$200 for a wreath from Windsor Florist. <p><i>Secoded by Quinta Poleo</i></p>

8. Events 2018

John has created a letter addressed to the local high schools requesting information on their protocols for running events in their schools. This will be distributed to the student representatives to pass on.

Events planning session:

February: Meet the Team social media campaign
Subcommittee: John, Brittney, Harleen, Thomas
Budget: \$50.00

March: Attending local community events
Subcommittee: All
Budget: \$750.00

April: Skills based workshop
Subcommittee: Quinta, Penikata, Harleen, Aaron, Matthew, Fa'apaia, Sally, Buua, John, Brittney
Budget: \$400.00

May: Youth Week Sausage Sizzle & Sports Tournament
Subcommittee: TBC
Budget: TBC

June: Young Leaders Conference
Subcommittee: TBC
Budget: TBC

July: Debate Night
Subcommittee: TBC
Budget: TBC

Seconded by Adrienne

9. General Business

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- Get legal has contacted us through the Facebook page. Damian will respond for future collaboration.
- Hope Walk has invited us to run a stall at LinkFest following the march. I
- Counties Manukau Sport has contacted us if we would like to volunteer at their event in March.



Manurewa Youth Council Meeting Minutes

| Youth Space | Wednesday 28 February 2018

In attendance: Damian, Harleen, Matthew, Buua, Sally, Mauga, Thomas, Quinta, Penikata, Adrienne, Fa'apaia, Melissa, Janny, Adayla, John, Aaron, Tui, Bianca, Brittney, Sarah (Local Board)

<p>1. Karakia</p> <p>Done by Penikata</p>
<p>2. Welcome</p> <p>Done by Damian</p>
<p>3. Apologies</p> <p>Pearl</p> <p><i>Secoded by Penikata Peni</i></p>
<p>4. Pass previous minutes</p> <p><i>Secoded by Adrienne Nordstrand</i></p>
<p>5. Updates</p> <p>Manurewa High School</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> School and ID photos have been done. Athletics day has finished. Polyfest is in two more weeks. Fundraising been happening for Polyfest. FPS (Future Problem Solvers) is going to America. Guest Speaker (Mai Chen) spoke to Manurewa High School about how anyone can reach their full potential. Last day to change any more subjects for students. Head boy, head girl and whanau leaders have been announced. Dux for each year group has been announced as well. <p>James Cook High School</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Athletics Day happened and a DJ was there. Assessment week is on this week. <p>Alfriston College</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cultural day is happening on March 10th which include stalls and performances from the Polyfest groups. Athletics day has finished and a DJ from their local church came. Next week is Eme which is an event celebrating endorsements. Polyfest is week after.

<p>Chair</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Contacted by community clendon business committee that they wanted youth view so that's why the Youth Council has been invited. Local board wants Youth Council to make sure we are mindful on what we spend and how and to have evidence in what we are spending. Mauga and Damien represented Youth Council when being interviewed for the newspapers, asking them details about Chole passing, how we continued and how we got the youth space. The interviewer said he can promote us on our March-April events. <p>Manurewa Local Board</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> On the 10th of March at 1-3pm the Manurewa Local board wants two or more people from the Manurewa Youth Council to give feedback at the Have Your Say Hearing. Thomas and Adayla volunteered to represent MYC. <p>YAP</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> There are two major plans from Auckland: A long term plan and the 30 year plan. With the change of Mayor the youth priorities might have changed. Damian will post on facebook about this update. <p>Treasurer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In February we got granted \$23000 from the Auckland Council. Spent \$3500 on branding, items for events and investment items like a Gazebo. <p>Subcommittee</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Subcommittee's plans for the Upskill workshop is stalls around jobs, stress relief/handling and tertiary /qualification <p><i>Secoded by Maugasavai'i Feagaiga-Fagasa</i></p>
<p>6. Upcoming events</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hope walk (3 March) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Events Leaders talked to us about the time we should be there and will update council on specifics. Bilingual Hikoi (14 April) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Attending:</u> Sally, Buua, Harleen, Fa'apaia, Adrienne

- Eye on Nature (14 April)
 - Attending: Tui, Aaron, Janny, John, Brittney, Penikata, Quinita
- Street Painting Event (16-17 March)
 - Decided not to attend.
- Polyfest (17 March)
 - We will interview students that are doing Polyfest.
 - Communications Lead will make the questions for the interview.
 - Just attending and having our presence there.
 - Attending: Sally , Buua, Aaron, John, Tui, Bianca, Harleen, Adrianne, Matthew, Britney

Secoded by Adrianne Nordstrand

7. General Business