

Sacramento County Youth Commission

Tomorrow's Leaders Leading Today

Minutes
Monday, March 14, 2016

Chair: Kirsten Stathos
Vice Chair: Kruti Modekurty
Secretary: Beata Aks
Social Media Chair: Makiyah Garth

Attendance:

District 1	Makiyah Garth	X
	Samantha Switzer	X
	Ruby Brooks	X
District 2	Madeleine Bisi	X
	Vacant	
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District 3	Christine Wiley	X
	Madison Alcalay	-
	Kirsten Stathos	X
District 4	Snehaa Ganesh Kumar	X
	Kruti Modekurty	X
	Milan Zhou	-
District 5	Sahej Claire	X
	Beata Aks	X
	Kiana Vicari	X

6:30PM Call Meeting to Order

- 1) Welcome and Introductions
- 2) Announcements and Comments
 - Announcements and Comments came at the end of the meeting
- 3) Approve Minutes of February 22, 2016 Meeting (*Action Item*)
 - Motioned by Beata; Seconded by Snehaa
 - Unanimous vote of those present to approve
- 4) Brown Act Training-Krista Whitman, Assistant County Counsel
 - Ms. Whitman reviewed a powerpoint outlining the Brown Act and the parameters within which the Commission can operate.

5) Review of Upcoming Local District Events

- District 2 Madeleine stated that there is an Egg hunt (March 24-March 26th)—volunteer activity; all ages its free—prize for the golden egg
- District 2 Ruby stated there is the Natomas Color Run (Lee Roy Academy)—May 21st (9am)
- District 1 Samantha stated there is a Duck Pluck (carnival games)—talked about maybe having a Youth Commission Booth
- District 3 Madison stated that there is a Race for the Stars—at Rio Americano on April 24th
- District 3 Madison also stated there is a Walk for the Brian Injury on March 20th at the Capitol
- District 4 Kruti stated that there is a Spring Fling Event at the (Palladio)—March 20th from 1-5pm
- District 4 Kruti also stated that there is a Lakeside Church Egg Hunt on March 26th and 27th
- District 5 Sahej stated there is an Easter Egg Hunt on March 19th and March 21st
- District 5 Sahej also mentioned that there is the Police March Madness—three on three basketball tournament

6) Annual Report

- Happening on May 10th or May 24th at either 9:30 am or 2:00pm
 - i. Commission decided that May 10th works better at 2:00pm
- Animal Shelter: Beata and Christine
- Tour of County Facilities: Kruti
- Mock Hearing: Ruby
 - i. What you did/ who got involved
- Donation Drive: Samantha and Makiyah
- Soil Born Farms: Kristen
- PowerPoint: Makiyah

7) Discuss Commissioners Goals and Expectations for 2016 Sacramento Country Youth Commission

- Madison stated that she wanted more attendance to events that we decide on
- Ruby stated that we should set plans for all commissioners to participate; get involved with other local groups
- Madeleine stated that she wants us to do more things as a group
- Beata stated that we should follow through with decisions
- Sneeha: stated that she wants the commissioners to meet more often
- Kruti: stated that we should participate in more volunteer activities; should continue to participate in the Mock Trial (annual); post more on social media
- Sahej: stated that we should follow through with our events
- Kiana: stated that we need to follow through with our events; come up with ideas
- Samantha: more consistency with attending events; more volunteering
- Makiyah: stated that same things as everyone above stated

8) Review of Board of Supervisors Agenda and News Article Discussion led by Samantha Switzer

- Board of Supervisors: about driving; children’s safety (Rancho Cordova); safe car seats; can help installing parents with learning how to install the seats in vehicles properly.
 - News Article: Sac Bee girl from McClatchy High School influenced an assembly man to provide student driver stickers for new drivers to use when they first obtain their license to place on outside of their vehicles indicating to other drivers they are a “new” driver. Hoping drivers will have patience and drive with more caution around the new drivers.
- 9) Report back on a Garden Project by Subcommittee
(Members: Kirsten (*chair*), Ruby, and Sahej)
- Sahej stated that about 350 or more people came to help rebuild the garden.
 - Garden in every school by 2020 is the goal
- 10) Report Back From Volunteer Subcommittee by Samantha
(Members Samantha (*chair*), Christine, Kruti, Madison, and Kiana)
- Need to commit to volunteer activities
 - Pick a date and time for Loaves and Fishes
- 11) Report back on Job Faire Subcommittee (Members: Beata, Milan (*chair*), Makiyah)
- Commission decided it was best to drop the job fair subcommittee since the City of Sacramento went ahead with their job fair in March.
- 12) Public Comment on Non-Agenda Item
- Children coalition: 2 seats available (meet every third Wednesday of the month)

Meeting Adjourned at 7:37 p.m.