
MAYOR'S YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL MINUTES

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, January 23rd, 2018
4:00 p.m.
Town of Pelham Council Chambers

Attendance: Emily Bonisteel, Prime Minister
Sofia Labricciosa, Deputy Prime Minister
Ava Colangelo, Secretary
Ben Bonisteel, Promotion Officer
Tessa Piccolo, Communications Officer
Anderson Cecchini
Sarah Schaefer
Natalie Anderson
Kaitlyn Palmateer
Parker Triano
Ethan Young
Ella Robert
Mackenna Belding

Absent: Matthew Iannizzi

1. Declaration of Quorum and Call to Order

The Prime Minister, Emily Bonisteel, declared quorum and welcomed everyone to the meeting.

2. Adoption of the Agenda

Moved by: Ben Bonisteel
Seconded by: Parker Triano

THAT the Agenda for the January 23rd, 2018 Pelham Mayor's Youth Advisory Council meeting be approved.

CARRIED



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3. Approval of Minutes

Moved by: Ava Colangelo

Seconded by: Ella Robert

THAT the Minutes of the December 19th, 2017 Pelham Mayor’s Youth Advisory Council be approved at the following meeting on February 27th, 2018.

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4. MYAC Sub-Committee Reports

a. Outdoor Exercise Trails Committee

Nothing to report.

b. Youth Forum Committee

Nothing to report

c. Town-wide Play for Free Day

Nothing to report

5. Long- Term MYAC committee reports

Art Sub-committee

Nothing to report

Community Garden

Nothing to report.

6. School Liaison Reports

EL Crossley Secondary: Ben Bonisteel

Nothing to report

St. Alexander Elementary: Sarah Schaefer and Anderson Cecchini

Principal from St. Alexander would like to make the intersection in front of the Pelham arches a right turn only due to safety hazards for students while walking

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to and from school. This is to be a discussion point with the Pelham Town Council.

Moved by: Kaitlyn Palmateer
 Seconded by: Mackenna Belding

THAT the recommendation of making the intersection in front of the Pelham arches be a right turn only, be forwarded to the active transportation committee.

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Notre Dame Secondary: Matthew Iannizzi

Nothing to report

St. Ann Elementary: Ella Robert

Nothing to report

AK Wigg Elementary: Natalie Anderson and Mackenna Belding

Nothing to report

7. Town Committee Reports

- a. Pelham Seniors Advisory Committee- Tessa Piccolo

Nothing to report.

- b. Pelham Active Transportation Committee

Nothing to report.

- c. Summerfest Committee- Sofia Labriscciosa

Nothing to report.

- d. Pelham Art Committee– no contact made with newly appointed MYAC members.

Nothing to report.

8. Pelham Youth Forum

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- The forum will be held from 9:30am - 1:30pm, March 1st at the old Pelham Town Hall. MYAC members must be present at the event for 8:00am.
- Schools must select 3 students from each school
- The food at the event will be Pizza and dessert trays from Natures Corner
- Must print off questions in a booklet with space for the participants to write their answers
- Students will be at tables with 1 person from their school and students from other schools. They will receive name tags when they arrive with 2 numbers on them. The numbers represent which tables they are to sit at. (for example, if there is a 1 and a 3 on their name tag, in the morning they are to sit at table 1 and in the afternoon, they are to sit at table 3)
- Elementary students and high school students will be separated
- Kaitlyn is to send the Youth Forum questions to Emily, Emily is to send them to council
- Sofia to be the photographer of the event
- Mayor Dave will be providing Sophia with an SD card for the event
- Kaitlyn is typing the ideas that will be presented to the group at the event
- The MYAC will be providing a “thanks for coming” gift
- There will be a power point with ice breakers and background pictures
- Ella and Ava oversee the icebreakers (minute to win it, M&M ice breaker, etc.)
- Mayor Dave and Martha are to attend the event as representatives from the town

9. Mayor’s Report

Mayor Dave provided MYAC with the following update on Town matters

- There was a trail system/Rotaract meeting held.
- Rotaract is looking to invest in equipment/exercise materials/health and wellness trails for the trail system.
- There will be a meeting held on January 27th, 2018 regarding the east Fenwick development from 10-2 at the Pelham fire station #2.

10. Other Business

Nothing to report.

11. Next Meeting

MYAC Regular Meeting scheduled for Tuesday, February 27th, 2018 at 4:00 p.m. in the council chambers

12. Adjournment

Moved by: Ella Robert

Seconded by: Ethan Young

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THAT the meeting of the Pelham Mayor's Youth Advisory Council January 23rd, 2018 is now adjourned.

CARRIED