

### Minutes for Youth Committee Meeting 27 March 2018

Members	Ref	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
Andrew Leaver	AL	✓	A	A	✓	✓	✓	✓					
Brian Sollitt	BS		✓	✓	A	✓	A	✓					
Diana Osborne	DO	A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓					
Eric Hall	EH	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓					
Eric Sylt	ES	✓	✓	✓	A	✓	✓	✓					
Gavin Howling	GH	A	A	A	A	A	A	A					
Jim Green	JG	A	✓	✓	A	✓	✓	✓					
Jane Horn	JH	A	✓	✓	✓	✓	A	A					
John Horn	John H	A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A					
Kriss Payne	KP	A	✓	A	A	✓	✓	✓					
Maggie Saunders	MS	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A					
Malcolm Britten	MB	A	A	✓	✓	✓	✓	A					
Mike Rowe	MR	✓	A	✓	✓	A	A	✓					
Penny Hancox	PH	✓	✓	✓	✓	A	A	A					
Phil Bendall	PB	A	A	A	A	A	A	A					
Shirley Morley	SM	✓	A	A	A	A	A	A					
Stephen Robinson	SR	A	A	A	A	A	✓	✓					
Tony Pick	TP	✓	✓	✓	A	✓	✓	✓					

MINUTE	ACTION
<p><u>Apologies -</u></p> <p>GH JohnH JH MS MB PH PB SM</p>	
<p><u>Matters Arising:</u></p> <p>None that are not included as an agenda item.</p>	
<p><u>Youth Speaks:</u></p> <p>The Intermediate team won their section. Tom McEnery was nominated Best Speaker. Daniel Williams also won the trophy for giving the Best Vote of Thanks.</p> <p>The senior team came in second in their section with Alice Burton nominated Best Speaker.</p> <p>Both teams will compete in the Regional Final to be held on Saturday 21 April 2018 at Uppingham Community College. EH will be attending and will provide transport.</p>	<p>AL</p> <p>EH</p>
<p><u>Young Chef:</u></p> <p>Excellent support was provided by the Chef at Stapleford Hall.</p> <p>Both candidates performed very well but failed go through to the Regional Final. The judges awarded Sophie Spokes the higher marks, she therefore qualifies for the Rotary Young Chef shield.</p>	<p>BS</p> <p>EH</p>

<p><u>Young Musician:</u></p> <p>Attention was drawn to the response from Jill Wallis who stated that it is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- a big undertaking to prepare children for competitions such as Rotary's Young Musician</li> <li>- increasingly difficult to get parents to commit to dates and support for the essential practice sessions</li> <li>- advertising should focus on social media and be backed by schools, if they can commit to becoming directly involved</li> </ul> <p>It was also pointed out that music no longer features in the core curriculum.</p> <p>Further discussion was deferred until MS can be present.</p>	<p>MS, PH</p>
<p><u>Young Citizen:</u></p> <p>MR reported that there has been one entry from the Hub. The entry is from an SEN student.</p> <p>There is also the possibility of an entry from MV16.</p>	<p>MR</p>
<p><u>Young Writer:</u></p> <p>MS has received 12+ poems from one primary school. While the best is judged to be quite good the others are of 'variable' quality.</p>	<p>MS, MR</p>
<p><u>Young Designer:</u></p> <p>No immediate action required. ES to contact DW to set process of entry in motion.</p>	<p>GH, EH TP</p>
<p><u>Young Photographer:</u></p> <p>EH confirmed that the cut-off date for submission of entries is 29 March 2018.</p>	<p>MR</p>
<p><u>Young Artist:</u></p> <p>Long Field Academy is intending to submit entries.</p>	<p>MS, EH, MR</p>
<p><u>Rotary Stars</u></p> <p>TP to keep in touch with PH.</p> <p>Ten schools will be participating.</p>	<p>PH TP</p>

Concern voiced that the books held are not appropriate and substituting with a voucher prize was discussed. TP agreed to take books held in stock to Queniborough Primary School for assessment.	
<u>RYLA</u> No Action	
<u>Interact:</u> DO reported that MV16 held an Easter cake sale as part of fundraising. Three students are raising money to contribute to the cost of their air fare to Sri Lanka. DO wishes to step down. DO was thanked for her past service in promoting Interact and liaising with the groups. The committee would like a volunteer who should be available for up to twenty minutes each Tuesday, from 10.45am during term time but excluding exam periods. Good staff support is available.	DO, JH
<u>Youth Exchange:</u> Our candidate attended the District meeting arranged for all Youth Exchange travellers. He found it helpful.	ES, EH
<u>AOB:✓</u> Photographs and write-up to ES, EH for publicity purposes.	
<u>Date of Next Meeting:</u> Date Tuesday 24 April 2018 (EH not available) Time: 5pm at QLH	