

Central Coast Youth Leaders Council
Notes from the Informal meeting
held via Teams on
Thursday, 9 June 2022
Commencing at 9.15am

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1 PRESENT



Sandra Ayton (General Manager [CCC]); **Cr Philip Viney** (Councillor/Accountant/Ulverstone Lions Club); **Allison Kable** (Community Wellbeing Officer [CCC]); **Belinda Gillard** (Teacher Ulverstone Secondary College [USC]); **Bailey Falls, Tara Woodhouse** and **Matthew Brooks** (Student Reps – [USC]); **Natalie Winchcombe** (Teacher – North West Christian School [NWCS]); **Amity Walker, Rowan Monk** and **Alex Davidson** (Student Rep – [NWCS]);

Minute taker: **Debra Lynch** (Community Service Assistant [CCC])

2 WELCOME

3 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY



The Council acknowledges and pays respect to the traditional owners of lutruwita (Tasmania), the palawa/pakana people. We acknowledge the Punnilerpanner tribe of this Northern Country, and in doing so, we celebrate one of the world's oldest continuous cultures.

4 APOLOGIES: **Tim Wilson** (Teacher Leigh land Christian School [LCS]); **Olivia Boersma** and **Riley Oates** (Student Reps – [LCS]); **Alex Davidson** (Student Rep – [NWCS]) and **Glen Lutwyche** (Principal Ulverstone Secondary College [USC])



5 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

■ Amity Walker moved, and Matthew Brooks seconded “That the meeting notes of the informal meeting held on 5 May 2022 be confirmed as a true and correct record.”

Carried



6 YOUTH PATHWAYS AND FUTURE OPPORTUNITIES

Explore opportunities that the group would like to consider for a major event for the year. E.g. expo, major speakers.

2021 Expo – Matthew gave a report on the 2021 Careers Expo how it was put together and what business/industry etc. were involved. Students suggested to run this event on a regular basis.

During the meeting the student reps met in their small groups to discuss what they would like to do for 2022.

NW Christian School suggested to create something social including other school and to make it fun, but careers focused. Student Reps to provide more information about the type of activity they would like to see held.

Ulverstone Secondary College Representatives suggested it would be great to get people from different industries with a focus on networking and building those skills as some students are not comfortable in talking to people, they do not know. Would be good to do in small groups with people you know and avoid waiting around too much. Similar to last year but on a smaller scale with not so many students all at once. Similar to speed dating but with industry.

Students suggested that a cheat sheet of open questions to help encourage those who are not confident in asking questions.

Action: *Students Representatives to discuss with fellow students and bring back to the July meeting a suggestion of an event.*

Action: *Students Representatives to bring to the July meeting a copy of a Cheat Sheet they have created with open questions.*

Invite a broad range of industries e.g. Hospitality, tourism, childcare aged care, agricultural, mining, with a focus on a post COVID future.

Possible dates to hold this event would be end of term 3 or in September or October 2022.

Action: *Students Representatives to come up with a suitable date to hold this event.*

7 YOUTH VOICE

Explore issues that the group would like to consider for the year.

NW Christian School discussed their key issue is fundraising for equipment for active outdoor spaces.

Ulverstone Secondary College discussed their key issues:

- 1 Creating a safe community through the LGBTQ+ Group who meet regularly through the school;
- 2 Students who have been attending the No34 Aboriginal Youth Group.

Sandra mentioned the RAP plan and discussed with students if they would be interested in exploring the Tasmanian Aboriginal History.

Sandra suggested that perhaps students would be interested in a workshop on public speaking.

Students met again in their school groups to discuss more options.

NW Christian School– Would like someone who is professional to talk about public speaking.

Ulverstone Secondary College and NWCS – Would like to explore Tasmanian Aboriginal History. Suggested that this begins with Youth Leaders Council and then taken back school to discuss. Look at locking this in for the meeting to be held on 7 July 2022.

Action: A guest speaker to be arranged for 7 July meeting.

Dates to consider:

7 July 2022 – RAP/Tas aboriginal history. (contact a guest speaker)

End of September – Speed dating with Industry.

8 YOUTH LEADERS' DEVELOPMENT

Youth Leadership Day – JCP Workshop to be held on Tuesday 21 June 2022. Dial Regional Sports Complex, Dial Park Avenue, Penguin from 9:00am to 3:00pm

- a) The Registration and Disclosure forms have been emailed to schools for students who are interested in attending to fill out with their parents.

Tarra Woodhouse and Matthew Brooks who attended the workshop last year commented and encouraged other students to consider attending this worthwhile event.

Those students who will be attending were encouraged to fill out their registration form and send through to the Admin Assistant – Community Services to pass onto JCP.

Action: Student Representatives to confirm their attendance and fill out the registration forms and send to the Council.

9 STUDENT REPORTS

Ulverstone Secondary College school report was received.
NW Christian School report to be sent through.

10 NEXT MEETING

The next scheduled full meeting of the Central Coast Youth Leaders Council is to be held on Thursday, 7 July 2022 at 9.15am Gnomon Pavillion, Ulverstone Wharf Precinct.

As there was no further business to discuss the meeting concluded at 9.50am.