Meeting Notes

Penguin District School Thursday, 23 March 2023 at 9.15am



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9:15am	1	Meeting Open - Chairperson PDS Student
		Co Chairs Emma, Kade, Kaitlee Toilets and Emergency procedures - fire and lock down, directed by the PA
	2	Acknowledgement of Country
		I acknowledge and pay respect to the Tasmanian Aboriginal community as the traditional owners and custodians of this land on which we live, learn and work.
		Present :
		Penguin District School: Kaitlee Ray, Kade?? Emma Bracken Angela McAuuliffe
		Ulverstone Secondary College: Matthew Brooks, Maggie? Hugh Mayberry, Simon Dent.
		Leighlands Christian School: George Anderson, Alex Keddie,
		North West Christian School : Alarnie, Lachie, Wayne Pepper
		Council: Simon Angilley, Cr Amanda Diprose, Melissa Budgeon
9:20am	3	Introductions (Kaitlee)
		Question for the new students (NWCS) - name, one key issue facing young people, that you are passionate about.
9.30am	4	Youth Strategy Survey (Kade) — review draft survey questions and determine next steps and timeframes.
		Melissa shared the survey questions/themes that were circulated and then discussed. Suggested that the age range be 12 - 25, and some of the questions could include 'the intention of young people'. le. Intention of young people getting their license. The group asked for the questions to be edited as and that following the JCP workshop on Thursday next week, students revisit these questions/themes whilst all together.
9.40am	Brain break (Emma) - Rock, Paper, Scissors. Then intro Melissa for the Calendar.	
10.00am	5	Calendar for 2023(Kade) – discuss and confirm
		Shared the calendar – Leighlands to host 11 th May. Update to be forwarded to all schools.
10.05am	6	Student Reports (Kaitlee) Invite Alex to share proposal that student group have created since last meeting.
		Alex on behalf of the students provided a proposal for a Youth Event that the group would like to consider coordinating as part of this group. (proposal attached) Suggested – start of 4th term, October. Theme 'Cause: accessible mental health support











in our community - donating to headspace.

At this time Angela McAucliffe shared information from a recent workshop including a presentation from Headspace, particularly about the service on the NW, and suggested that Kate Lack would be a great guest speaker to attend and discuss this event proposal further.

Next step is for Melissa to develop a basic Event framework for the group to consider and add to.

Invite Kate Lack to the meeting on the 11th of May.

10:25am

Thanks everyone for their attendance and contribution to the meeting. The opportunity to feedback from this meeting to assist the planning of the next meeting seeking from the committee members, Plus = something positive from the meeting and Delta = something to change for next meeting.

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Discussion of the students only (stats from Simon Dent showed that the adults still had a bit too much to say but the opportunity from the student reps to break off and have a discussion is useful and positive.

Good connection from the group, and even the new students.

Chairing the meeting was professional and well done.

Visiting all the schools during the year is great.

Have great group discussion and not doing report presentations better for interaction.

Delta = something to change for next meeting.

Add Leighlands visit to the calendar (11th May)

Ratio of adults:student conversation improved throughout the meeting, a priority for the coming meetings.

Break out group for students to have separate discussions.

Next meeting:

Thursday - 30 March Youth Leadership Workshop with JCP, 9.30am - 12.30am

Thursday 11th May at Leighlands

10.30am

Meeting Closed