

Broxbourne Youth Council Minutes

15 May 2024 (week 4/10)

Participants: Thomas Vaciago, Teni Taimo, Tej Nundah, Tobi Hogbin, Kaitlin Hussey

Facilitators: Linton Sutherland, Natasha Morgan (Services for Young People)
Hannah Neal (Broxbourne Council)

1. Welcome, introductions and minutes from last meeting

Minutes agreed as a true record.

2. Ice Breaker

Item deferred to the next meeting.

3. Environmental Pledge

The Youth Council had a discussion about a potential environmental pledge. Thomas said there is not much nature, the Borough is more built up. Teni said that recycling and getting rid of waste is difficult and suggested looking at the bigger picture rather than doing little bits here and there. Teni also suggested giving Cllr Dee Hart voice of the youth.

The members also discussed the number of recycling centres have gone and that bins are not coming often. Members suggested about there being potential barriers to recycle, such as bins overflowing and having to pay to go to the dump to drop rubbish off.

4. Police Crime Commissioner Project

Item deferred to the next meeting.

5. Resolving the problem

The Youth Council took part in an activity where they had 3 scenarios and they had to come up with a solution to the problem.

6. Debate topics

The topic for the debate was 'Are men and women treated equally'. The majority of the members disagreed.

7. Agenda for next meeting

1. Welcome and Introduction (7pm-7.10pm)
2. Ice Breaker (7.10pm-7.15pm)
3. Environmental Pledge (7.15pm-7.45pm)
4. Police Crime Commissioner Project (7.20pm-8pm)
- BREAK- 15 mins
5. Personal Safety (8.15pm-8.45pm)
6. Debate topics: (8.45pm-8.55pm)
7. Agenda

8. A.O.B

None